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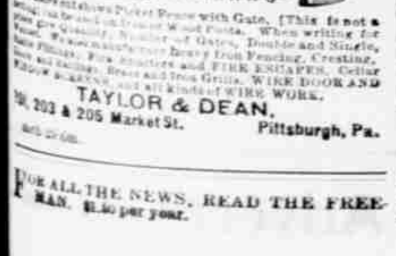
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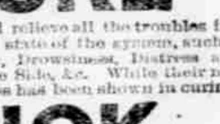
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The clinging vines shall hide it, and the spring
Fling down its scented blossoms o'er and o'er,
The summer birds, clear throated, round it sing
And autumn's brown leaves drift about its door.

The timid wildlings of the field and wood,
Unchecked by fear, its lowly lintels seek,
Where, wrapped in silence and in solitude,
A weary toiler rests, in dreamless sleep.

Sweet sleep, to dream no more of hearts grown cold,
Of hopes long dead, of anguished prayers denied,
Of silent voices, so beloved of old,
With whose dear tones, life's sweetest music died.

O strange, sad mystery of love and life!
O Death, at once the Judge and Paraclete
After earth's wailing discord, pain and strife,
The Master "giveth His beloved sleep."

—Louise W. German, in Chicago Advance.

MILES' OLD TIMES.

His Wolf-Hunting Steer and Bear-Killing Wife.

Wolves Prowled Around the Cabin Till the Steer Found His Mission—How Susan Showed the Kind of Woman She Was.

"It does me sort o' good to git holt o' some un that likes to hear 'bout ol' times," said Octogenarian Cuthbert Miles in his snug cabin near the head of Indian Run, Pa., where for forty years he has busied himself with fashioning willows into baskets of various shapes and kinds during the winter to peddle them among the backwoods towns during the summer.

"'Fore I got to be a widderer, forty-five years ago an' better," the old basket-making recluse went on, "me an' my ol' woman lived down the creek yender, a couple o' miled, on a nice clearin', but it got lonesome down there when she died, an' so I come up here an' put up this cabin, an' here I ben ever sence. When we lived on the clearin' it kep' us busy a good deal o' the time fightin' off bears an' wolves an' painters. I had a two-year-ol' brindle steer that was the greatest wolf fighter anybody ever heerd on in this country. We didn't think nothin' o' seein' wolves prowlin' around the clearin', an' they killed every dog we'd git, jist as reg'lar as we got 'em. But they found out by an' by that they better let that steer alone. He was nice an' fat, that steer was, an' I know'd the wolves had their eyes on him, for it was a cold winter, an' the snow was deep, an' the wolves was powerful hungry. One mornin' I got up about sun-up, as usual, an' went out to feed the steer an' the cow an' the oxen an' the pigs. As I was goin' to the barn I heerd a tremendous hellabaloo in the log shed where I kep' that steer. The steer was bellerin' as if he had a belly full o' the most gripin' ache that ever griped, an' mixed up with his bellerin' I could hear a snappin' an' a snarlin' an' a growlin' that I know'd didn't come from no belly ache.

"'Wolves!' says I. 'A passel o' blame hungry wolves a tryin' to chaw up that steer!'

"That was enough fer me, an' I struck a gallop an' started to give the steer a lift ag'in 'em. I slung the door open, an' there I see one big wolf with its fangs socked plumb inter the steer's nose, while another un, bigger yet, was gnashin' away at one o' his flanks. The steer was rushin' around the shed, bellerin' an' snortin' an' tryin' to whang the wolf ag'in the log sides o' the pen. He did whang it, too, but the wolf had got a few doses o' the steer's blood, an' he hung on like a leech onto a swelled leg.

"There was a little yard to the shed, with a log fence 'round it, an' when the steer see the door open an' me standin' by it, he made a spring fer it and come bouncin' out inter the yard, fetchin' both wolves aflyin' with him, the one hangin' to his nose and t'other one fast to his flank, an' stickin' straight out in the air as the steer come out. I grabbed the wolf that had holt o' the steer's nose an' shet both hands around his throat, chokin' him all I knowed how. I squeezed him so bad that he let loose o' the steer, wriggled an' kicked an' scratched himself loose from my clutch, and then turned on me. He sprung straight fer my throat. Now, I tell you, I had a time a-fightin' that wolf off! As soon as the steer found he was free from the wolf that had him by the nose he jist turned an' spread himself ag'in t'other wolf. He shuck it loose of his flank, an' as he done it he ketched the tarnal varmint on his horns. He chucked it up in the air, I'll bet ye, twenty foot, an' as it turned a summerset up there an' come down ag'in the steer was ready fer it an' ketched it square on his horns ag'in. I heerd sumpin' rip an' tear. Then I see the wolf go up in the air ag'in an' a shower o' blood come a-pourin' down from him. The steer had fixed the wolf so's it wan't no use fer nothin' any more 'cept for fodder for hogs.

"I seen all this a-goin' on spite o' me havin' my hands more'n full fightin' the wolf that was tryin' t' make me sorry I had mixed in with the fight an' sp'iled his chance o' makin' his breakfast on the steer. My clothes was all tore to tatters, an' I was blood from head to foot; an' all my own blood, too, that the wolf had drawed outen me by his claws an' his teeth, which he wa'n't noways shy in usin', I tell ye. But I kep' a-chokin' of him, an' by an' by I got him so I could give him a good ol' soundin' toss, an' this was just as the steer ketched t'other wolf an' ripped it from A to izzard. I put all my stren'th in the fling I give my wolf, an' slammed it ag'in the log fence on one side o' the yard. But I tell ye that wolf was tough. He got right up on his feet as if nothin' hadn't happened, and come fer me ag'in as fierce as ever. I'd a ben a goner sure if it hadn't ben fer that steer. He know'd he had done fer t'other wolf, an' he didn't wait fer it to land ag'in, but turned an' went fer the wolf that was comin' fer me. With a beller ye could a heerd fer a miled that steer made a plunge. He ketched that wolf, as ye mowt say, just about 'midships. He ketched it with them horns, zip! an' the wolf was laid open like ye mowt cut a watermelon, half an' half.

"I wa'n't well fer a month arter that, but the steer didn't seem to mind the scrimmage a bit. It seemed to wake him up to an idee that life had sumpin' in it that he hadn't knowed afore. He wouldn't stan' it no more to be shet up in his shed, but was bound to be left out in the yard. So I let him have his way. One mornin' I found seven dead wolves strewed in the yard an' outside the fence. 'Nother mornin' I found nine, an' they was ripped an' stomped oncommon awful! Arter that, wolves give that clearin' o' mine the go-by, I tell ye, an' I was sorry, fer the steer jist pined an' pined, an' one night jumped the fence an' went away. I couldn't find him to git him back, but I heerd on him now an' then. He was spendin' his time in the woods huntin' wolves, an' when the last wolf that was left in the Injin creek deestric' got lonesome an' dug out to'ards the settin' sun, I think that steer follered his trail, 'cause I never heerd o' him nor the wolf ag'in.

"One night I woke up, down yonder on the clearin, an' heered my two pigs a squealin', an' my cow an' the oxen bellerin' an' thumpin' in the barn like as if they'd kick it down.

"'Susan,' I says to the old woman, 'tha's a most onheerd of rumpus goin' on out there among the critters,' I says.

"'Seems so, Job,' says she. 'Git up,' she says, 'an' go see what's a-stirrin' of 'em up.'

"So I got up an' slid my clothes on, an' hustled out to see what the fuss was all about. The moon was shinin' most like day, an' as I trotted over to'ard the pig pen I see what the trouble was. Two big bears was in the pen workin' their very pootiest to hist one o' my pigs out over the side o' the pen, which was only a sort of a square concern, laid up with logs four foot high.

"'Pork is pork!' I says. 'I hain't ben a-feedin' them pigs up to this notch o' heft for bears to come in an lug off,' I says.

"So I run back to the cabin an' got my gun. If the gun had had sumpin' in it with more business to it than pigeon shot, the hull trouble would a ben settled consarned quick. Pigeon shot was all it had in, though, an' if Susan herself hadn't been loaded fer bear, I dunno know how things would a come out. When I run back fer the gun, I says:

"'Susan,' says I, 'bears! They'm takin' away our pork!'

"'Be they?' says Susan, gittin' up an' grittin' her teeth. Most astoundin' woman, Susan was. 'Be they?' says she. 'We'll see about that!'

"Susan didn't even stop to put her stockin's on. She grabbed a double bitted ax, an' hollerin' fer me to come on with the gun rushed out to hev a little argyment with them bears.

"The bears was still strugglin' to git the squealin' pig over the fence, an' the cattle was thumpin' an' kickin' an' bellerin', sympathizin' with the pigs, an' tryin' to skeer the bears away. Me an' Susan got to the pen, an' I rested my gun on the top log o' the fence an' blazed away. The end o' the gun bar'l wa'n't two feet away from one o' the bears, but my nerves must a ben a leetle upsot, for instead o' borin' a hole clean through the bear's head I only jist shot away his fore paw. That was sumpin' the bear wouldn't stand without findin' fault. If I'd a-bored a hole through his head he wouldn't a said a word. But to hev his usefulness knocked inter a cocked hat by the blowin' off o' one o' his paws was too much, an' he lifted up his voice an' made the woods ring and my hair raise at the same time. An' he come fer me. So did t'other bear.

"'Good-by, Susan,' says I. 'I'll see you ag'in when Gabriel blows.'

"'Cause I thought my time had come.

"'Ye'll see me at breakfast!' says Susan, an' she riz her ax an' sunk it clean to the hand'e in the well bear's brain. The bear dropped back into the pen an' never said another word, but the ax was sot so deep in its head that Susan couldn't yank it out, an' as the bear fell back it wrenched the handle outen her hands. The wounded bear came right on. My gun didn't hev no load in it, an' Susan's weepon bein' stuck in t'other bear's head inside the pen, we was in pooty ticklish quarters, an' I was so dumfuddled that I guess I'd a squatted right down an' let the bear chaw me up, but Susan was there.

"'Job,' says she, 'scoot!'

"An' I scooted an' she scooted. We scooted fer the house, the darn ugly bear limpin' arter us on three feet. We got in the house jist in time to shet the door in the bear's face. Great Jemima! how he did howl an' roar an' scrape! He was bound to git in an' hev it out with us. I jist wilted down an' bellered. I say it now. That's what I done. But Susan! I had kep' holt o' the gun, an' she grabbed it an' loaded it. The bear was bangin' an' howlin' at the door. When she had loaded the gun Susan flung the door open.

"'Come in!' says she. 'This is a cold night! I wouldn't hev ye stay out there an' suffer, not fer a double-geared sawmill!' says she.

"The bear come a bouncin' in on three feet, an' his mouth wide open. Susan jist socked the muzzle o' the gun ag'in the bear's upper jaw an' whanged away. The top o' his head flew off like settin' off a blast in a quarry. He tumbled on the floor, an' Susan yanked him out in the yard 'fore he had time to muss up the floor with a drop o' blood as big as a sixpence!

"An' that's the way it usety go, down on that clearin', 'fore I was a widderer! That was forty-five year ago an' better, an' things is different now. But what a woman my Susan was!"—N. Y. Sun.

He Was Too Critical.

Everybody is familiar with the adverse criticisms passed by shopkeepers on articles not purchased from them. Here is an instance: A woman had a handsome Russian sable skin presented to her, with head and feet in perfect condition. She took it to a furrier to have it made into a bow. The furrier examined it closely. "Beautiful skin, isn't it?" remarked the woman. "Yes," replied the shopman, "but I don't think you have the right kind of a head on it." "Well," returned the woman, "as it happens to be the kind that God put on it, I think it will stay."

Precaution.

After a row with his wife, who violently expressed a wish that he was dead, an Irishman said: "Oh, it's a widow you're wantin' to be, is it? Bedad, I'll take good care you're no widow as long as I live."

AN INTERVIEW.

How a Great Frenchman Was Beaten by a Girl Reporter.

I am a lady journalist, and engaged on the staff of the Weekly Ray.

I never was a pudding-and-pie sort of girl; and I think when I started going to town, and left the household duties to my sister, my people actually felt a sense of relief.

For some time I wrote at random, sending in contributions to all sorts of papers, some of which reached their mark. The majority, however, like carrier pigeons or the Australian boomerang, faithfully returned to me.

At last I attracted the attention of the editor of the Weekly Ray, or at least my work did; and after a few more successes he offered me a post on his paper.

"A lady interviewer, you know, Miss Neville," said he to me, "can frequently attain her object where a man would fail, and I shall be glad to see what success you may have at the business."

Time went on, and I had "fixed" hundreds of notables, when one day, entering the editor's room to submit some copy to him, I perceived by the way he greeted me that he had some special commission in store.

"Good morning, Miss Neville. The very person I wanted to see. Take a seat."

I sat down, while the editor pushed his papers aside, laid down his glasses and commenced.

"You have no doubt heard that the famous Frenchman, M. Jean Coussot, has arrived in London for a stay of a few days, and has taken up his quarters at the Hotel Bristol?"

"What, the 'unapproachable' in London!" said I. "No, I am ashamed to say that I had not heard of it."

"Well, it is nevertheless a fact," continued my chief, adding with a smile: "And very aptly you have christened him, for not only has he never been interviewed, but has declared his decision that he never will be. Now, although Coussot has never done anything so very remarkable, beyond writing some epigrammatic plays and jingling verses, and posing with great success as an art critic, a wit, cynic, and leader of fashion, yet he has 'a vogue,' and whatever opinions and impressions fall from his lips people will greedily devour."

"Therefore," said I, anticipating his coming remark, "what you suggest is that *I* should endeavor to obtain the same?"

"That's it," said the editor. "Thereby, if you succeed, rendering your paper a great service and covering yourself with glory."

Next morning—I had spent all the previous day and night thinking about my task—I presented myself at the Hotel Bristol.

"Is M. Jean Coussot within?"

"Yes, miss," said the hall porter, much to my delight. "What name?"

I handed him one of my cards, which he in turn passed to a boy in buttons, who disappeared upstairs with it.

A minute later he returned. "Kindly step this way, miss!" Was the great man really going to see me? It would be something even to receive a refusal direct from his own lips.

Up and up we went, till, on the third or fourth landing, a man servant, holding my card in his fingers, confronted me.

"Monsieur has so many callers," he explained, with a bow, eying me curiously all the time. "What might be madame's business?"

Perfectly well aware that I might as well beat a retreat at once as hope for success if I answered his question, "My business is with monsieur," I said, calmly. "Kindly hand him my card, and he will see me."

Still hesitating, but evidently impressed by the assurance with which I spoke, the man turned and tapped at an adjacent door.

"Enter!" responded a voice from within. The man left the door ajar behind him. Silently I stepped up to it and peeped through the crack, being rewarded for my temerity by the sight of a rather stout figure of medium height, clad in a long frock coat, with a bullet-shaped head, hair cropped tight, a well-formed nose, and a straight mustache of enormous proportions.

"Mees Margareet Neveel!" I heard him say. "No! I do not think I know the lady." Then he added, turning to the servant: "Is mademoiselle young or old?"

"Young, sir," said the man; and in my anxiety I had almost called through the opening of the door "and pretty."

"Did you ask her beezneez?"

"Yessir. She said it was direct with you."

"Vell, I vill see her in one moment," came the welcome words; but, as I stepped back from the door, they were followed by: "But shust make sure her beezneez has nosing to do with ze noospapairs."

A groan almost escaped me. It was no use prevaricating when, in a moment's time, I should be in the great man's presence. I told the servant candidly that I did indeed come from the editor of the Weekly Ray, a paper that had always expressed its greatest admiration of M. Coussot and all his works, to bid him welcome to our shores.

The man's face relaxed as I said this. He returned to the room, and a second after I heard M. Coussot's voice from within:

"Ha! ha! Ha! ha! Ver' goot! ver' goot indeed! Tell Mees Neveel I feel ze honor greatly, but"—and here he raised his tones—"M. Coussot is nevair interviewed."

"So much for the glory I was to be covered with," said I, as, hurrying from the scene of my defeat, I turned into Regent street.

Next morning, still feeling a bit ashamed of myself, I went into the city to keep an appointment that the editor had made for me.

That over, I was coming down Threadneedle street, intending to walk back to the office, when, passing the entrance to the Bank of England, I saw a sight that made my heart go thump!

Three genial-looking gentlemen, locked arm in arm, were emerging from under the famous portals, and in the central figure I recognized M. Jean Coussot himself.

Falling back a pace, I "shadowed" them. They got to the corner and stopped at the edge of the pavement, talking, laughing, gesticulating wildly.

Suddenly they shook hands violently, and, with much raising of hats and vociferous interchange of good wishes, left him. He crossed over to the Mansion house. I followed. Why I did so, I can hardly say, except that I still felt a lingering hope that fate would yet befriend me.

Arrived on the opposite pavement, M. Coussot stopped and took up his station on the curb, critically eying the various road cars and omnibuses as they came up.

A Hammersmith car drew up, and, with unsuspected agility, he jumped on to the steps and nimbly climbed upstairs.

I followed, and took a seat behind him.

As we neared the top of Cheapside, I thought it time to commence operations.

"Excuse me," said I, in my softest possible tones, "I am not sure if I am on the right car. Does this one go to Hyde Park corner, can you tell me?"

As he heard my voice M. Coussot jerked round on his seat, and, as he looked at me, politely raised his hat.

"Ah, mees! I am a strangair in London," he said. "I vill inquire of the drivair."

And bending over the rail, "Do you pass ze Hyde Park cornair?" he asked; and then turned to me again with: "Yes, zis car pass ze cornair."

"Thank you, so much," said I, sweetly, trembling inwardly lest this should prove to be the conclusion of our conversation.

But the gallant Frenchman showed no intention of again turning his back towards me. On the contrary, he wheeled still further round, and, keeping his eyes fixed upon my face, said:

"Zere are so many 'buses and things in your London that it ese ver' con—complexing, confusing."

"Very confusing," I agreed. "Have you never been in London before?"

"Ne-vair," said he. "I vant mouch to come, but somehow never do till this."

"And are you disappointed or pleased with London now you have seen it?" I ventured, feeling that this question marked an epoch in my life.

"Vell," said he slowly, and I hung on his very words, "I am both disappoint and pleased. It is a grand city, but it makes one's head ache, there is so mouch beezneez. (How I remembered that word!) And I do not find it pretty. It is too mouch dull, too gray, too 'neutral tint,' as you say."

He seemed to enjoy chatting like this, and, just as the shops and side-turnings flitted by us, so we went lightly from one subject to the other, until I knew the cause was won, and that, if I could only remember all he had said, I had enough material to fill a whole page of the Ray.

At Hyde Park corner I prepared to alight, having, just in order to prevent wounding his feelings, assured him that I believed Apsley house, which had attracted his attention, to be the habitation of the Guard's club.

"Ah! You get down here! I regret! Will mademoiselle exchange cards in memory of our deelightful conversation?"

"Oh! Pray excuse me!" said I. "I have been too indiscreet already."

"No! No!" he protested. "I have enjoy ver' mouch. But mademoiselle may have curiosity as to who she has been talking." And then in much the same tones as the intelligence might be announced, "I am the German emperor!" the versatile Gaul, again raising his hat, said: "I am Jean Coussot!"

"*Really!*" I gasped, in affected surprise, and without another word descended the steps.

A second after I jumped on to another 'bus, which soon landed me at Piccadilly circus.

Into an aerated bread shop I rushed, pulled out my note book, and began to scribble for dear life.

"What can I get you?" murmured an attendant.

"Coffee," said I, laconically.

"Anything to eat?"

"Yes, please," I answered, writing on, oblivious of the girl's proximity.

"What?" she persisted.

"What what?" said I, looking up, angry at the continued interruption.

When I had jotted down all that I could remember, I took a hansom to the offices of the Ray, shut myself up in an empty room, and never stopped till my interview was written, revised, and re-read.

"Knock out those two columns of Parliamentary Gossip," directed my editor when he had just cast an eye over my copy, "and the contents bill must be altered to 'Jean Coussot's Views of London.' Well done, Miss Neville! I'll have a chat with you later."

As may be remembered, the publication of that interview caused a great sensation in the journalistic world.

But the most pleasing memento of this little episode that I possess is an exquisitely fashioned small gold brooch, embellished with the letters "M. N." in diamonds, that M. Coussot himself sent to the Ray offices for me, bearing on the back the words in English: "To the Victor from the Vanquished."—Pall Mall Budget.

More Pathetic Than Humorous.

An aged couple living south of Brazil, Ind., who had devoted their three score and ten to rural life and the making of a farm, sold their possessions for the snug sum of sixteen thousand dollars. When the purchaser called with a notary to close up the deal by taking the deed of title, the husband having signed and passed it to the wife, she positively refused to sign without a consideration, saying she had spent her life in making the farm, and had never realized anything she could call her own and now was her opportunity. The husband failed to satisfy her and secure the signature. Then the purchaser asked to know what she would take and sign the deed, fearful that she would be exacting beyond his inclination to comply. After a good deal of hesitancy she said she thought she ought to have two dollars, which he promptly handed her, and she signed the title. She turned over the silver dollars time and time again, laughing over her good luck. She said: "Well, well, this is the first money I have ever had in my life that I could call my own and spend it as I may wish to do to suit myself."

—You take something from the burden of sorrow when you give it something to do.—Ram's Horn.

A MISUNDERSTOOD DOG.

The Eventful Life of a Well-Meaning Pup.

He came in a crate by the evening stage—an ungainly St. Bernard puppy with legs long enough for a dog twice his size. A card on the top of his wicker cage read:

BILL HENDERSON,
Keene Center,
Adirondacks.

The crowd on the store porch waiting for the mail to be sorted looked the newcomer over and expressed their several opinions as to his breed. Some "calated he had shepherd in him," and others "swan he hadn't."

"See that: haow he bobs that head of his'n," said Israel Lukens, an old hunter, peering into the crate. "Hello thar, 'Long Legs,' haow goes it?—hungry, be ye?" and the puppy licked the old man's hand.

"What ye got in thar?—a lion?" shouted Alfred Hammer from the road, on his way to the lumber shanty.

By this time the mail was sorted, and the crowd scuffled into the store. A kerosene lamp sent long shadows scurrying over the low ceiling and diffused a mellow light half way down the counter, at the further end of which was strewn a tumbled assortment of lumbermen's shirts and some old pairs of children's boots, the remnant of the winter stock. Great drifts of blue tobacco smoke floated lazily toward the lamp and, ascending, were lost in the shadows.

The puppy, left alone on the porch, heard the laughter and the voices of the men inside, and began to whine. When realizing that this only added to his loneliness, he cocked his head and looked up at the stars and the great range sleeping clear out against them. He could hear the roar of the river as it swung through the valley and far down the road the baying of the hound. Then came the sound of a wagon clattering along and the next instant Bill Henderson reined in his team and called out:

"Dog here for aour folks?"

The door was opened by the postmaster.

"Some of my womern's relatives daown in Fort Ti," Henderson continued, "writ that they had one of them St. Bernards and wanted we should take it. I told my wife, sez I, we got enough haounds to feel without goin' into no fancy breeds."

Ten minutes later the puppy was lifted out of the crate and tumbled into the wagon, and Henderson drove off. As they rattled down the road the cool air seemed to revive the puppy. It felt good to get out of the close crate, and though at first he cowered against the dashboard he began gradually to feel more like himself. Now and then he would put up his foolish shaggy head and try to make friends with Henderson. But Henderson was surly. He regarded the puppy as more of an encumbrance than anything else. Such friendly beginnings on the part of the puppy were greeted with a kick that sent him shivering under the seat again. Henderson hadn't much heart even toward his neighbors, and when it came to animals he had less.

When Henderson reached his cabin Mandy, his "womern," came out with a candle to see the new dog, and the puppy was brought into the kitchen, where he walked about awkwardly and was mauled by the children. After a scanty supper he was turned out among the hounds in the wood-shed, where he lay shivering with cold and fear until Henderson's eldest boy came for him in the morning and hitched him to a cart.

If he was not harnessed to the cart by the eldest boy and lashed up and down the road in the broiling sun, he was dragged into the cabin on wet days and mauled by the rest of the children. One morning he growled. Henderson's "womern" said "she knowed that the dog was ugly soon as she sot her two eyes on him," and that "it was nothin' short of Providence he hadn't bit some of the young uns."

Henderson said he'd take him where he wouldn't get back in a hurry, and the next day the puppy was hitched under a peddler's wagon and departed amid the gibes of the Henderson children and the snarling of the Henderson hounds. The peddler drove along in the blinding heat and dust, and before he had gone two miles the puppy had hard work to keep his chain slack, his feet began to bleed and he whined piteously.

When the cart reached the valley, six miles distant, and stopped in front of the post office, the puppy lay unconscious against the hind wheel, his eyes were closed and blood oozed from his nostrils. Some one unhitched the chain and dragged him a few feet away on the grass under a tree.

Two men passing stopped.

"Guess he's dead," said one. "Looks like he'd been ugly, anyhow," said the other, and they passed on.

The shadows lengthened until only the great slides far up on "Great mountain" were high enough to catch the rays of the red sun. A few lamps beamed at the windows down the single street, and a gentle breeze rustled the leaves overhead.

When the dew fell the puppy opened his eyes.

It seemed to him that he was back once more in the crate at the store. He could see the stars glitter and hear the roar of the river.

As the wind freshened and blew down the valley he staggered on his feet and tottered up the road, whining. For a moment he stopped in front of the store and stood in the glare of the lamps. Some village curs snarled at him. Limping up the wooden steps, he waited until a man opened the store door, then he slunk in, bobbed his head and wagged his bedraggled tail.

"I'll bet ye the cigars that dog's mad," said a rough lumberman in a slouch hat.

"I goll, Bill, you're right," replied his partner, nodding approvingly. "This dog your'n, Ed?" he shouted, sarcastically, to a big fellow in a blue shirt, as he opened the door, and the crowd roared to a man.

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said another. "I'll give half a dollar for his hide if anyone 'll shoot him."

A butcher's boy lounging against the counter bet he could hit him "first crack."

Just then the puppy settled slowly on his haunches, looked up at the butcher's boy and wagged his tail.

"Look out—don't ye come near me," said the butcher's boy.

The next instant a well-directed boot rolled the puppy into the road. He staggered to his feet and stood gazing up at the crowd on the porch, his limbs trembling. The storekeeper came out with a box of cartridges and a Winchester. Throwing a shell into the magazine he handed the rifle to the butcher's boy.

There was a pause.

"Git that hind sight fine on him." It was the man in the slouch hat telling the butcher's boy.

"Hyar!" came a stern voice out of the dusk, and the next instant the old hunter, Israel Lukens, had the butcher's boy by the throat.

"You young skunk," he thundered, wrenching the rifle away from the butcher's boy. "Thought ye'd be paowerful cunnin', didn't ye? I see that there puppy when he came daown to the center. Thar an't nothin' the matter with that dog; he's been used awfully. Henderson's folks had him, and them young ones liked to kill him."

The old man loosened his vice-like grip, and the butcher's boy slunk into the store. One by one the crowd followed sheepishly, while the puppy trembled against the old man's bootleg. When the latch clicked on the last men Israel took the puppy in his arms.

"Poor leetle cuss," he said, as he carried the puppy down the road to his cabin.

And so the puppy lived with Israel, and one August day the old hunter left his cabin at daylight with his dog.

"Hadn't ye better git a couple of the boys to help ye, Israel, if you're agoin' to git aout them hemlock?" said Jerushy his wife, as he left.

"I presume likely I had," said Israel, leaning on his ax at the gate. "Frank—he's ought to went to the center today to git them shingles, and Pete calcalated he'd go fishin'. No," he continued, "I guess I'll make aout well enough alone, thar an't so much but what I kin handle it," and, shouldering his ax, he disappeared in the woods, talking to the dog.

It was about noon when Jerushy finished her washing and sat shelling peas in the coolest corner of the summer kitchen. Outside in the tangled garden the bees tumbled lazily over the flowers and the yellow jackets crawled in and out among the bunches of dried herbs hung under the eaves of the rickety porch. Below from the valley, swimming in the August heat, came the harsh droning of the mill, broken at intervals by the delicate ping, as the log left the saw.

"Thar!" she said to herself, starting up as the mill whistle blew. "I hain't more'n had my hands out of the dish water and it's plumb noon." She felt something tugging at her skirts, and looking around she saw the dog. "Wall, if that don't beat all," said the old lady, readjusting her steel spectacles. "What ails ye—stop it, ye fool!"

But the dog kept tugging at her dress.

"Got a mushrat, have ye?" said the old lady, coaxingly. "Wall I presume we'll have to go and see it 'fore ye'll git your satisfy."

At her willingness to follow the dog loosened his hold and ran ahead, barking incessantly.

The two crossed the road and followed the trail of the path leading to Israel's "leetle piece," as the hunter called his lumber cutting. When he reached the brook the dog stopped, snuffing to the right and left; suddenly he stopped and began to howl, and Jerushy, looking at the edge of some alders, saw the print of Israel's shoe in the mud.

Then the truth seemed to flash across her mind.

"Suthin's happened to Israel or that dog wouldn't perform like that. I'll warrant ye," she said, hurrying on.

The dog barked sharply and plunged on through the woods, the old lady following as best she could, calling at intervals.

"Israel, Israel, whar be ye? Be ye hurt?"

Suddenly the dog stopped and listened, and Jerushy heard far up the mountain a faint halloo.

Ten minutes later she found the old man buried under a hemlock, unhurt, but unable to move hand or foot.

As Jerushy stood by wringing her hands the dog tried to ferret himself beneath the pile of debris, tugging at Israel's coat.

"Oh, Israel, be you a dyin'?" moaned Jerushy.

"Dyin'? No," Israel replied. "I han't hurt none—ye see, I mistrusted this here tree wan't agoin' to fall right, but 'fore I knowed it she come down top of me. If it wan't for that young spruce I presume likely it'd a killed me. And he came and told ye!" said the old man. "Wall, I swan!"

When the neighbors came and hauled the old man out the dog's joy knew no bounds.

"Thought he wasn't no good, did ye, friends?" said the old hunter, turning to the bystanders.

"Ye han't no bines broke, have ye, Israel?" asked a mild old man, once sheriff of the county.

"It's a good thing the dog come daown and told your woman, Israel, wasn't it?" drawled a tall, lanky fellow.

"I'm tickled to see ye wan't hurt," said another, as the procession filed down the mountain.

But Israel did not answer; he was talking to the dog.—Detroit Free Press.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

TWENTY-TWO dollar bills weigh just as much as a silver dollar.

SWALLOWS have been seen at sea over one thousand miles from land.

AT a sale of relics in England in the year 1816 a tooth of Sir Isaac Newton was sold for a sum equal to $3,000.

A PARTY of Canadian boundary commissioners arrived at Juneau, Alaska, a week or so ago, to begin a survey of a trail 2,300 miles long, from Taku inlet to the head waters of the Yukon river.

IN a newspaper from Schwarza, in Thuringia, this notice appears: "I, J. Schmidt, apologize for having said publicly that Fritz Werner is the vilest rascal in the world. He is not the vilest rascal."

A BELGIAN inventor has devised an immense lamp such as has probably never been seen before. It is 6 feet high and measures 7.10 feet in diameter. It is fed with lard oil, and the consumption is said to be very small.

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

FRIDAY, - - - - - MAY 10, 1895.

ALL the industries of the country are reviving under the new Democratic tariff law and wages are being increased.

IT is said that the senate will refuse to pass the house bill pensioning judges. That would be the proper thing to do. The taxpayers do not want a law creating a civil pension list.

MASSEY, Republican, has withdrawn from the United States senatorial contest in Delaware. The legislature will likely adjourn Thursday, and the appointment of a senator will then rest with the governor.

IN order to make the labors of the next Republican convention easy, Senator Quay has nominated B. J. Haywood, of Mercer county, for state treasurer. All the delegates will have to do when they come together will be to ratify Mr. Quay's work.

THE supreme court of the United States is rehearing the income tax cases with a full bench. The vote of Justice Jackson who has sufficiently recovered to be present, will decide whether the tax on rents and bonds is or is not constitutional, on which question the other judges were equally divided.

THE chief of the bureau of statistics of the agricultural department says that in 1892 there were outside of dairy cattle 576 head of cattle of the beef kind to each 1,000 people of the United States and that at the present time there are only 493 head to each 1,000 population. This he thinks in a measure accounts for the recent rapid rise in the prices of beef.

THE effort now being made to erect a suitable monument to Francis Scott Key, the author of the Star Spangled Banner, will likely meet with success. The Key Monument Association of Frederick City, Md., is making rapid progress in their work and to further the cause offer a pamphlet of great interest to all who will send a 2 cent stamp for it.

SETH LOW'S gift of $1,000,000 to Columbia College is one of the most striking illustrations of human benevolence. It is not so much that he has given a million. Other men have made greater gifts to the public institutions. The real merit of his act lies in the fact that the gift represents at least half, and probably more than half, of Mr. Low's worldly possessions.

JAPAN has receded from some of its demands and has renounced all claim to the possession of the Liao Tung Peninsula, which includes Port Arthur. This she does because she is afraid of Russia, which power has threatened her. Warships of several of the great powers are assembling at the Che Foo. Evidently Russia would not object to the dismemberment of China if she could get possession of the territory she refuses to permit Japan to acquire as the fruits of her victories over the Chinese.

PHILADELPHIA is likely to have a sort of a Lexow committee to investigate, in a partial way, its municipal government. It is a good thing for the Penrose resolution to pass, for the result may be a revelation of the corruption that has prevailed in the Quaker City and which has given it the unenviable distinction of being the most corrupt municipality in the United States. Senator Quay gave his consent to have Philadelphia Lexowed and his consent was all that was required to have the senators agree to the proposed investigation.

IN a good many of the occupations whose workers suffered heavy reductions in wages during the reign of McKinleyism the strong tendency now appears to be to restore the cuts. In many instances, says the Pittsburg *Post*, this has already been done voluntarily by employers. In other cases restorations are being forced by the operatives, either by strikes or threats to strike. This upward wage tendency may finally carry with it better pay for the coal miners of the Pittsburg district; and for other districts as well. At least it is to be hoped it will, for the miners are about as poorly paid as any class of labor in the country. They ought to get more compensation just as soon as the condition of the business will admit of it. If general business continues to improve as it has for some time there is no question but coal mining will share in it.

SAYS the Somerset *Democrat*: With all due reference to the feelings of those apostles of the trade ruining policy of high tariff who predicted disaster, ruin and destruction of American industries should the Wilson tariff measure become a law, we call especial attention to the following evidences of the correctness of their claims: five hundred moulders win a strike at Cleveland for an advance in wages; Pennsylvania bituminous coal operators voluntarily make an advance of 12 per cent. in the wages of their employes; A ten per cent. advance in wages of workmen in the tube and boiler works of the northwestern end of this state; the advance in wages at the wire nail works at New Castle; increase in wages from ten to twenty per cent. at the Thomas Furnace, Niles O.; a similar increase to the lumbermen of Potter county; the placing of large orders for steel rails by the P. R. R Co., and the general air of improvement and business prosperity that pervades the country. It is indeed a cold day that does not see a nail driven into the coffin of the McKinley high tariff monstrosity since the Wilson law has become effective.

THE Philadelphia *Times* with the other Philadelphia papers, an earnest and unwearying advocate of the judicial pension scheme, is at last forced to concede that "the bill is hopelessly dead."

The bill passed the house a couple of weeks ago by a meager majority of three votes over the constitutional number necessary to pass a bill. It got this scant lead in the expectation it would be defeated in the senate. The senators have been hearing from the people, and the *Times* concedes it is as dead as a mackeral in that branch. Governor Hastings has also had a revelation, and the Philadelphia paper says "he feels that it would be a most perilous thing for him to approve the bill in the face of the intense and growing opposition to it." It is even said if the bill had passed the senate the governor would probably have vetoed it.

The proposition to pension our judges had its origin some 20 years ago with the editor of the Philadelphia *Times*, and the historic facts are stated as follows by that paper:

The proposition to retire judges who have given the best years of their life to judicial service was first proposed by Senator McClure, then representing Philadelphia, more than 20 years ago. It was defeated the first year, but the second year he renewed it, passed it in the senate, and toward the close of the session it passed the house up to the third reading by a full two-thirds vote. It was then possible to suspend the rules and pass a bill finally on the same day. On a motion to suspend the rules it was lost, lacking two votes, and, on a subsequent motion to reconsider, it was again lost, which ended the effort, for the bill could not be reached that session on third reading. That measure proposed the retirement of judges on half judicial salary. Since then a like measure has been proposed at nearly or quite every session of the legislature, but always failed of success, and we believe never passed either branch until this year.

The *Times* regrets the defeat of the bill, and asserts it will have a bad effect on the judiciary of the state. We fail to see in what way, but can easily understand how a pension system for judges might be attended by disastrous consequences, in impairing popular confidence in the judiciary. It was not the money question that defeated the bill. The money involved is a mere bagatelle for a great state like Pennsylvania. The people were stirred to anger by the suggestion of a civil pension list, and regarded the judicial pension bill as of precisely that character. It was unamerican and in opposition to the best traditions of Republican government. If the salaries of the judges are not sufficient, let them be increased. There should be no toleration of a civil pension list. But we hardly think the judicial salaries, considering the long tenure of office, are insufficient. The fact is, as everything in this country is getting down to hard pan, we believe it would be sound policy to raze the salaries and fees of public officials generally, and particularly the extravagant salaries of county and municipal officers.

The legislature does not deserve much credit for defeating the judicial pension bill, for the principal reason it has increased offices and salaries to the extent of about $250,000 a year. But for the protests that went up from the people it would have swallowed the starter for a civil pension list.

A PARDON for John Bardsley, Philadelphia's thieving treasurer, is now asked. The politicians who saw no hope of securing clemency for the larcenous ex-treasurer of Philadelphia as long as Governor Pattison was at Harrisburg have hope now that Hastings has taken his place. So influence will be brought to bear on the pardon board and the chief executive to have Bardsley released from prison before he has served half of the term for which he was sentenced. We are not certain that these efforts will not be successful. It would not be the first time in the history of Pennsylvania when political influence was effectual in relieving criminals from the penalty due to their offenses.

It is not surprising that there is a movement to have Bardsley pardoned. He is the possessor of secrets which, if revealed would be very unpleasant for prominent politicians. He looks to these to secure his release, and, if they fail to do so, he may begin to make revelations of the corruption with which he is familiar in Philadelphia. Thus it is that, while no good reasons are given why he should be pardoned, the movement to have him set free will be earnestly supported by men whose influence with the pardoning power is likely to have considerable weight.

The foolish plea is advanced that Bardsley was the victim of circumstances. No doubt if he did not have the opportunity to filch he would not have done so. Then it is said, in alleged extenuation, that he was a prominent citizen, interested in public affairs. A very poor excuse for robbing the taxpayers of thousands of dollars.

THE British government has not the least objection in the world to the establishment by the United states of a "protectorate" over the whole of Central America. This would afford greater security to commrerce, and at the same time shut the mouths of American Jingoes, at least so far as that region of the earth is concerned. But it is neither the duty nor the interest of the people of the United States to assume a parental control over the turbulent states of Central Amerca. The right to protect those states would imply also the right to coerce them whenever they should violate the obligations due to foreign powers. But this is a right which every aggrieved nation can best exercise toritself. So long as the Central America shall observe the laws of nations they will have no need of a "protectorate."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., May 4, 1895.—"No entangling foreign alliances," is the good old Jeffersonian motto that President Cleveland has adopted for his administration, and, although a few loud mouthed jingoists are struggling hard to make it appear otherwise, there is little doubt that a majority of the voters of this country believe in that motto. It has governed the administration throughout the wrangle between Great Britain and Nicaragua, and, not withstanding many previous reports to the contrary and the shrewd diplomatic efforts of countries, it is and will continue to be the governing spirit of this country's acts in connection with the new complications between Japan and Russia. President Cleveland is always ready and willing to use all the influence at his disposal to bring about a peaceful settlement of disputes between nations, but when asked to assume a position that would effect, if not actually, be be taking sides in the disputed he invariably declines, and thereby proves himself a true friend to the real interests of the United States.

The idea is prevalent that when President Cleveland fills the vacancy in the civil service commission caused by the resignation of Mr. Roosevelt ("our Teddy") he will also appoint a successor to Commissioner Lyman, whose resignation has, it is reported, been asked for. Mr. Roosevelt's successor will be a Democrat, but if Lyman goes out his successor will be a Republican. It has for a long time been the opinion of many people, including members of the congressional committee which investigated the late Frank Hatton's charges against the civil service commission, that Mr. Lyman ought to go, but somehow he has managed to hold on through it all.

Secretary Herbert has decided not to attend the celebration of the opening of the Baltic sea canal, which is to occur at Kiel, Germany, on June 19. He received a special invitation to attend from the German government, and for a time thought he would be able to do so, but a closer study of the official programme he has mapped out convinced him that he couldn't. He abandoned the idea with reluctance.

Assistant Secretary McAdoo is again on duty at the navy department, having this week returned from his five week's cruise with Admiral Meade's squadron. He is enthusiastic over the behavior of men and ships on the cruise, and says he learned and unlearned much that will be useful and beneficial to the government in administering his official business. He is greatly pleased at the result of the experiment made by the department on this cruise, of sending coal for the ships of the United States in order to head off the extortion of the coal dealers in West Indian and Central American ports. The experiment was a success. Mr. McAdoo says: "There was considerable opposition and somewhat of an organized effort to prevent the securing of labor for taking the coal from the American schooners to the ships; but this effort failed. In one instance the local coal dealers employed all the labor in the market, paying the men to remain idle. But laborers were procured from the interior. The result of this very wise action on the part of the department—which will save annually a great deal of money—is that the local dealers in nearly all the West Indin and Central American ports have made overtures to furnish coal at a reasonable increase over its market value in the United States. Not only will this keep the price down for the navy, but it will open the market for the American article at ports where only English coal coal is found, as the dealers know that they cannot compete in prices and continue to sell English coal.

The marriage in Washington, last Tuesday, of Senator Murphy's oldest daughter to ex-Mayor Hugh Grant, of New York City, is regarded by those who kept track of the side currents in politics as being much more than a mere society event. It means, they think, the uniting of two men's interests who will in all probability have a hand in directing the course of the Democratic party of the Empire state for some time to come.

Secretary Gresham is again quite unwell and his friends are growing quite uneasy about his health. He has President Cleveland's habit of doing more work at times than he ought to do, and his duties have been especially harrassing of late, causing him to overtax his strength before he had entirely recovered from his recent illness.

Senator Allison was in Washington this week, trying to drive a few spikes in the aspirations of the other Republican presidential candidates. He has reached the "I-have-nothing-to-say stage."

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Beginning of an Exodus.

Savannah, Ga., May 6.—The International Migration Society has been quietly at work in this county getting up a ship load of negroes colonists for Liberia ever since the Horsa sailed on March 1. Two hundred and twenty-two men have arranged to sail from Savannah about May 20, and the same steamer has been chartered by the society.

Every person pays $41 for passage. The second trip of the Horsa means the commencement of a great exodus of southern negroes for Africa. The safe arrival of the first ship load at Monrovia and the satisfactory letters which have been received from them have caused a desire in every part of the South to join the society's movement. The society's strict fullfillment or all promises made is another impetus for the negroes to emigrate.

Pierce Attempts Suicide.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 4.—Near Albion to-day Charles Pierce, the notorious diamond and hotel thief, with a long string of aliases, swallowed poison and cut his throat while en route to the phosphate mines to serve a sentence of eleven years. Pierce had sworn all along that he would kill himself before going to the mines, and this evening while unnoticed by his guards, he swallowed the poison and immediately thereafter drew a razor across his throat, severing the windpipe.

To-night he is barely alive and physicians say he will die.

THE woolen mills of James Lee's Sons at Bridgeport, Pa., closed down on Wednesday because of the strike of the employes for 10 per cent. Advance in wages. One hundred hands of the Wookstock woolen mills and 70 hands at Rambo& Regar's hosiery mill have struck for an advance from 10 to 20 per cent.

An Illinois Tornado.

Aurora, Ill., May 4.—The village of St. Charles was visited by a tornado today, with fatal results. The old stone postoffice building, standing on the east side of Main street, occupied by Mrs. Church as a millinery store, was blown down and Mrs. Church was killed. Two young ladies had apartments in the building, and one of them, Miss Ingis, is supposed to be in the ruins. The other, Miss Augusta Anderson, was killed. The falling walls caught and killed a passing horse, and the driver was seriously injured. Two other men were struck by falling debris and were quite badly hurt. It is reported that several other persons about town received injuries more or less serious. A man named Luther Caustin had one leg and an arm broken. Andrew Johnson, of Elgin, had his back broken. The killed are: Mrs Hattie E. Church, Miss Augusta Anderson, Chas. Johnson and Joseph Thompson.

The same storm at Galesburg, Ill., blew down the stalls at the Williams race track, and unroofed the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy roundhouse. At Eldora, Ia., barns, windmills, etc., were destroyed. At Seymour, Wis., lightning struck the house of John Kitchenmeister, killing him and seriously injuring his wife.

Murdered for His Money.

Pittsburg, May 6.—Isaac Jope, aged 70 years, night clerk at the First Avenue Hotel, was brutally murdered early this morning at the hotel.

Jope's body was found at the foot of the stairs leading from the hotel office to the cellar. His skull had been crushed in by a piece of iron pipe and his face terribly beaten.

Robbery is the supposed incentive to the crime as Jope's pockets had been relieved of their contents of value.

Frank Ross, a colored porter, acted so suspiciously that the police locked him up on suspicion. Half a dozen other employes of the hotel have been held by the police for examination.

The last seen of Jope alive was at 3 this morning when he went to the bar for a drink. The murder was evidently committed in the hotel office and the body thrown down the stairway, as the office furniture was found in confusion.

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—Overdrafts have made the Texas state treasury $550,000 in debt. It cannot be recouped before next January.

—John R. Chandler, a prominent attorney of St. Louis, fell down an elevator shaft and was instantly killed.

—James Herbert, an insane shoemaker, murdered his wife by cutting her throat and then cut his own and drowned himself, in New York, Monday.

—The men at the mines of the Mansfield Coal and Coke company, at Carnegie, have been idle since Monday. There is no strike, as was reported, but the mines were closed on account of a lack of orders.

—Henry Fegley, a bicycle rider, rode from Quakertown, Pa., to Allentown, Pa., a distance of 16 miles, in one hour and ten minutes. He ruptured his intestines by over exertion during the ride, and death ensued.

—The Rev. S. T. Risca Crocker, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Doylestown, Pa., was arrested and held in the sum of $600 for trial to answer a criminal charge prefered by a young woman who is a member of his congregation.

—Governor Morrell, of Kansas, is to be arrested on the charge of obtaining money under false pretense. The charge is made on the ground that Governor Morrell drew money from the state to pay for services given by his present private secretary a month before the governor was inaugurated.

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O. K. Churns for sale at HUNTLEY'S.

A LOT Double Shovel Plows just received at HUNTLEY'S.

A LOT Wing Shovel Plows just received at HUNTLEY'S.

A FINE lot of Table Oil Cloths just received at G. HUNTLEY'S.

ANOTHER lot of Bissell's Carpet Sweepers just arrived at G. HUNTLEY'S.

A LARGE assortment of Garden Tools just received at G. HUNTLEY'S.

A FEW bundles of Manilla Binding Twine, 5 cents a pound at Dutta's. may3

A FINE assortment of White wash, Paint and Varnish Brushes just received by G. HUNTLEY.

JUST received a lot of Steel Frame, 5-tooth Cultivators at HUNTLEY'S.

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A LARGE assortment of that celebrated Anti-Rusting Tinware—warranted no to rust for 5 years—just arriving at G. HUNTLEY'S.

WANTED—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg Pa. mch2

A LARGE assortment of granite enamelled ware with another 20 per cent. reduction which makes it almost as cheap as tinware. Just received at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

DON'T forget I am headquarters for Base Balls and Bats, all kinds of Fishing Tackle, Lines, Hooks, Reels, Rods, Bait Boxes, Baskets etc. G. HUNTLEY.

CALL at Huntley's and buy a Tree Sprayer and Spray your fruit trees, thereby increasing your fruit crop enough to pay for the Sprayer three times over. G. HUNTLEY.

THE Ebensburg Marble and Granite Works are offering a reduction of 5 per cent on all work ordered before the 1st of May. This is done in order to avoid the rush for Decoration Day work.

WANTED—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county. Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch29-6

I HAVE the agency for the Eclipse Bicycle, acknowledged by all to be one of the best Bicycles on the market. $10 reduction on regular price will be given to the party giving me the first order this season. G. HUNTLEY

FARMERS. Your attention is kindly called to the best hay carrier on the market and at a reasonable price. Call and see it at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in May, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President. LESTER LARIMER, Secretary.

A LARGE assortment of Family Ready Mixed Paints, Paints for Farm Implements, Carriage Paints of all colors and shades, in 1 pint to 1 gallon cans. If you are going to paint your house call and look at my samples. I can save you money. G. HUNTLEY.

FARMERS, you can get twenty cents per pound for wool at the store of W. A. Little in Loretto, and twenty cents is that store is worth more to you than twenty five cents in any other store in Cambria county, as we have five thousand dollars worth of goods to be sold within six months, and prices no object. ma 10 3t

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has leased the Ebensburg Electric Light plant from C. J. Blair to take effect May 1st. All bills due from above date will be collected by the undersigned on the 1st of each month. All persons having electric light will please be prepared to pay for same on that date to the undersigned or one authorized to collect the same.

JAMES A. ROSS, Manager. may2 3t

FARMERS AND BUILDERS. I have put in a car load of steel wire nails and fence wire before the advance which I will sell for a limited time at prices before the advance. As there will likely be another advance by the 1st of April, I would advise you to buy immediately what nails and wire you want for the coming season, thereby saving money by not paying the advance prices later on. A word to the wise is sufficient. GEO. HUNTLEY.

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A great purchase, and will make a correspondingly great sale: Lot of Fine Solid Color PLAIN SILK GINGHAMS—exquisite shades—pink, lavender, reseda and rose, best quality 50c SILK GINGHAMS, 25 CENTS a yard.

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Such assortments of medium to finest as even this store of noted variety in all stocks never before displayed.

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Philadelphia Express, daily	8 12 p m

WEST.

Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8 07 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2 36 p m
Mail Train, week days	4 29 p m
Fast Line, daily	8 28 p m
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 34 p m

Ebensburg Branch.

Trains leave as follows: 7 20 a. m., and 3.30 p. m. and arrive at Cresson at 7.57, a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Leave Cresson at 9 45, a. m. and 5.35 p. m., and arrive at Ebensburg at 10.20 a. m. and 6.10 p. m.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Letters of administration upon the estate of Jacob Trinkley, late of Carroll township, Cambria county, deceased, were duly granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

SYLVESTER BRADLEY, Carrolltown, Pa.
SYLVESTER ECKENRODE, Loretto, Pa.,
Administrators.

J. F. McKENRICK, Esq., Attorney for estate.
Ebensburg, Pa., March 29, 1895.X

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Philip Collins, deceased. Letters testamentary upon the estate of Philip Collins, deceased, late of Ebensburg, Cambria county, Pa., having been granted to me, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to me without delay, and those having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement. T. A. SHOEMAKER, Executor.

Bellefonte, Pa., April 12, 1895.

TO THE MONEY SAVERS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

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FRIDAY, - - - - - MAY 10, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—A tramp stole a water spaniel from Mr. Abe Lloyd on Monday.

—The work of making brick for the new convent at Cresson has been started.

—Mr. John J. Weaklen, of Carroll township, was a visitor to Ebensburg on Monday.

—Justice Dean has decided that bicycles are liable for the payment of toll upon toll roads.

—Mr. M. D. Bearer, the Julian street grocer, is building a wareroom on his premises.

—Mr. J. B. Wilber, the well-known clothing merchant, has a change of ad in this issue.

—Mr. Richard Tudor, of this place, who has been ill the past winter, is able to be about again.

—Mr. Jacob A. Hoover and Hon. James J. Thomas, of Carroll township, were in town on Tuesday.

—W. A. B. Little, of Loretto, has an ad among our miscellaneous notices that will interest farmers.

—Rev. H. Keltch, of Lock Haven, will take charge of the Disciples' church in this place on June 1st.

—Al Seibert, an employe of the Palmer [illegible] at Patton, was lodged in jail last week on a charge of larceny.

—Twelve tramps were arrested and brought to jail on Tuesday for trespassing on the Pennsylvania railroad.

—Harry Wilber, the bicycle agent, has sold two handsome wheels to Messrs. H. [illegible] Rowland and George Myers.

—Rev. Roberts will deliver a sermon to the members of the G. A. R., of this place, on Sunday, May 26th, in the C. M. church.

—James D. Fagan, of Hastings, arrived [illegible] on Tuesday from Jacksonville, Florida, on his bicycle, having made the trip in [illegible] days.

—Mr. James B. Zahm and wife, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday in Ebensburg visiting Mr. Zahm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George [illegible] Zahm.

—The banns of marriage between Joseph [illegible]maker and Miss Maggie McCabe, of this place, were published in the Catholic church on Sunday.

—The FREEMAN is both crowded and behind time this week owing to the fact that a considerable amount of advertising matter had to go in this issue.

—J. Swan Taylor, chairman of the Republican county committee, has issued a call for the Republican county convention to be held in Ebensburg on Monday, May [illegible]

—Mr. Ed. Lingle, who has had charge of the [illegible] telegraph office in Ebensburg for the past two years, left for Pittsburg on Monday where he will work for the [illegible] company.

—John W. Gore, agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at Cresson, and [illegible] Jessie Clark, of the same place, were married in Pittsburg on Thursday evening of last week.

—Blair Beals, a former resident of Ebensburg, died at Thomastown, Blair county, on Thursday of last week from typhoid fever. He was about 40 years of age and leaves to survive him a wife and [illegible] children.

—On Thursday night of last week a stranger calling himself "Prof. Granger, [illegible] mind reader," gave an entertainment in the Opera House to a small audience. He was a genuine fake and those present were completely disgusted.

—The coal operators of Cambria and adjoining counties think the strike in the [illegible] and West Virginia regions is a good thing for them, as they may be able to get back the trade that was taken from them when their miners struck last year.

—John Eckner, of Hillsboro, Somerset county, is the proprietor of an apiary containing about 300 hives of bees. The location is well adapted for the production of [illegible] quality of honey, and Mr. Eckner [illegible] a considerable quantity every [illegible] most of which is sold in Johnstown.

—The large saw mill at DuBois, Pa., owned by John E. DuBois, sawed in one [illegible] week 152,400 feet of lumber, 60,000 [illegible] lath and 32,000 feet of box boards, [illegible] the largest outputs for one [illegible] in a single day ever known. The [illegible] of men employed on the cut was [illegible]

—A motley crew of bums struck the town of [illegible]ville recently. The *Record* of [illegible] says: There were seven of them, [illegible] the seven four had but one leg each, [illegible] the other three were minus of an [illegible] In spite of their crippled condition, [illegible] they are expert train-jumpers.

—At an early hour Wednesday morning [illegible] building used as a warehouse and [illegible] merchandise store in Portage, this [illegible] was destroyed by fire. Five cans [illegible] powder which were in the building exploded with terrific force and a number of [illegible] who were fighting the fire made [illegible] escapes.

—The Pennsylvania railroad company [illegible] awarded a contract for 30,000 tons of [illegible] the price paid being $22 per ton. The [illegible] was divided between three companies—the Carnegie, Pennsylvania Steel [illegible] and the Cambria Iron Company. [illegible] brings the total amount of the company's order this year up to 47,000 tons.

—Shortly after 12 o'clock on Wednesday [illegible] a fire of unknown origin entirely destroyed the brick manufacturing plant at [illegible] owned by the Sisters of Charity at [illegible] The building was 200x60 feet. [illegible] men were employed in making [illegible] for the new school building which is [illegible] erected. The loss is estimated at [illegible]

—On Thursday night J. E. Wilson's [illegible] store and W. D. Caldwell's lumber [illegible] at Portage were entirely destroyed [illegible] the origin of the fire is not known, [illegible] is thought to have caught in the [illegible] Mr. Wilson's loss is about [illegible] and Mr. Caldwell's about $300, each [illegible] insurance policies that fully cover [illegible] amount.

—Arrangements have been made to operate the coal under the land of Charles [illegible] of Carroll township, and the work [illegible] opening up the mine will be pushed as [illegible] as possible. Work has already [illegible] on the drift, and the tipple [illegible] be started in a few days. J. M. Click, [illegible] of the Wigton mines, has charge [illegible] the work.

—A meeting of the borough council was [illegible] Saturday evening to consider the [illegible] of building a sewer system for [illegible] borough. From estimates submitted it [illegible] learned that a complete system would [illegible] about $25,000 or $30,000, and that the [illegible] from the jail to the creek, which must [illegible] immediately, would cost about [illegible] No action was taken.

—A kind word costs nothing. In business it is just as easy to be companionable as to be repulsive and from a business standpoint kindness, gentleness and courtesy are always profitable. It is the courteous man who stands the best chance of success. It is the cross, uncivil man whose business will never likely go with much [illegible] and the sheriff gets hold of it.

—The cases of the four Cambria county editors who got into trouble with Uncle Sam for printing lottery advertisements, were settled at Pittsburg on Tuesday on payment of the costs.

—An equity suit against the Altoona, Clearfield and Northern railroad company, to compel a foreclosure sale on a mortgage for $60,000 in favor of the Pennsylvania Trust company, of Reading, was begun in court at Hollidaysburg Thursday. The suit is brought to recover the interest, amounting to some $2,300, and which is now due on the same and unpaid.

—Sheep dogs appear to be numerous in Summerhill and Cambria townships, and no person can allow his sheep to remain in the fields at night and expect to find them safe in the morning, and as it is too warm to stable them it is quite an inconvenience. One man has built a fold of boards ten feet high without a roof and others that wish to keep sheep will be compelled to do likewise.

—An excellent company will present "Waiting for the Verdict," or "Falsely accused," at the School Hall, in Carrolltown, on Wednesday evening, May 15th, 1895. The play will be reproduced on the following evening at the same place. The object is a good one and the public is cordially invited to spend a pleasant evening and at the same time assist in a worthy object.

—A petition was presented in the Blair county court for the removal of the county commissioners James Funk and John Hurd from office, on the grounds of lack and extravagant management of the county affairs, favoritism in the award of bridge contracts. These proceedings were instituted by the county auditors, after a three months' investigation of the commissioners sioners' office. The court took no final action on the petition.

—By the parting of a freight train at Mayes Summit, on the Pennsylvania & Northwestern railroad on Tuesday morning, Brakeman W. H. Weisenring was killed. He was stepping from one car to another as they parted, and he fell between, being run over. His legs were crushed and a severe cut inflicted on his head. He was taken to Coalport and later to his home in Bellwood, where he died. He leaves a wife and family.

—Farmers are warned against wheat swindlers who are said to be working in the eastern part of the state, and are liable to drop among you at any time. They are canvassing with a fine grade of wheat, which they allege will yield an average of 50 bushels to the acre. The grains are larger and there are more of them on the stock. You will be required to sign a contract to let the agent half your crop and if he doesn't get your farm you will be in great luck.

—Daniel Pringle, aged about fifty years, whose home was in Altoona, was struck by an empty freight engine on the Pennsylvania railroad, near G Z signal tower, in Altoona, at 4 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and he died a short time after, at the Logan House, from the effect of his injuries. The unfortunate man had been a conductor on a coal train between Cresson and Altoona for the past twenty-eight years, and when he met his death he was about to get geady for his daily trip.

—An unknown man was struck and killed by third section of Day Express, a short distance beyond Kittanning Point, between 12 and 1 o'clock on Monday afternoon. He was from all appearances a tramp, about 35 years of age, and looks to be either a German or a Swede. He has good features and sandy hair and beard. He wore three shirts and two pair of pants. Both arms were broken and was badly bruised and lacerated about the body. The remains were taken to Altoona.

—Mr. Jacob Hoover, Sr., died at the home of his son, Jacob A. Hoover, in Carroll township, on Saturday, May 4th. The deceased was born in Bavaria and at the time of his death was 83 years, 5 months and 4 days old. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Catharine Rumbaugh, of Dennison, Ohio, and two sons, John H. Hoover and Jacob A. Hoover, both of Carroll township. His wife died about six years ago. His remains were interred in St. Benedict's cemetery at Carrolltown on Monday.

Crops of State.

Secretary Edge, of the Pennsylvania department of agriculture, has issued the following statement regarding crops:

Winter wheat has come through the winter short in leaf and stock, but with plenty of roots to insure a good crop with favorable weather; the east sides of the fences running north and south, especially in the southeastern part of the state, show the bad effects of the heavy drifts which accumulated there during the blizzard, and in many cases the grain has been smothered out entirely, giving a portion of the fields a spotted appearance. In low, wet places and on fields having a bad natural drainage, the melting snow by running into the low places and freezing there, has killed wheat and made a cut in the yield of the crop. The acreage is slightly decreased, due to the low price of the grain. The indications are that more than the average acreage of potatoes will be planted, and some of our prophets are already predicting low prices for this crop.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, May 9, 1895:

Joseph H. Newman, Latrobe, Westmoreland county, and Annie C. Ivory, Gallitzin.

William W. Knepper and Kittie A. Wright, Summerhill, Pa.

Charles M. Robers, Richland township, and Caroline Fingerhut, Conemaugh township.

Theodore Vogel and Rosa J. Schroth, Carrolltown.

Joseph Lugar and Mary Hrzhok, Johnstown.

William S. Reed and Emma F. Kressley, Chest township.

Simon Markert, Johnstown, and Minnie M. Jones, Blacklick township.

Richard Partsch and Emma Huguerin, Johnstown.

Andrew Graff and Anna Hudag, Hastings.

For the New Trunk Line.

Philadelphia, May 6.—The construction of the Pittsburg and Eastern railroad from a junction with the Beech Creek road at Mahaffey to West Newton or a point on the McKeesport and Youghiogheny railroad, is assured. Work will first be begun on the eastern section, extending from Mahaffey to Rankin Summit, a distance of 20 miles, and various contractors in company with the engineer, are now going over the ground, with a view to putting in bids for sub-contracts. This section will develop the Cush creek and Little Mahoning coal fields. The next section will traverse the Loyalhanna and Pittsburg coal basins and will also reach the Connellsville coke and the Westmoreland coal regions. It is expected to complete from 30 to 40 miles of the road by the end of the year.

Communication.

Lilly Pa., May 9, 1895.

ED. FREEMAN:—Permit me to correct a statement appearing in your issue of April 26 in regard to myself and daughter. I was not arrested for assault and battery as stated, but went to Johnstown as soon as I heard an information had been made, waived a hearing before 'Squire Harris, and gave bail for court. I did this because I had reason to believe I could not get justice from 'Squire Harris.

W. C. WOLFE.

Judge White Wins.

Indiana, Pa., May 4.—At 11 o'clock this morning the court in the Blair-White judgeship contest met in open session, and delivered an opinion in favor of the latter. They find a majority of 128 legal votes for Judge White, and have certified his election to the governor. The costs are to be paid by the county. Five hundred and seventy-one illegal votes were thrown out, of which 306 were cast for Blair and 275 for White, making the latter's majority 128.

The contest was instituted by Mr. Blair, candidate of the Democratic and Independent Republicans, who alleged that enough illegal votes had been cast for Judge White to more than offset his majority on the face of the returns. Charges of bribery also entered into the complaint. A court consisting of the three nearest judges of the court of common pleas, was appointed by the governor to take evidence in the case and render a decision. This court sat here for weeks and heard many witnesses for both sides. The testimony was very conflicting in the bribery charge, but the fact that illegal votes had been cast was established to the satisfaction of the court. The trial court consisted of Judges Doty, Barker and Reyburn.

Judge White was present when the decision was rendered, but Judge Blair was not, and did not hear the news until after court had adjourned. As the judges were ascending the steps, a spectator started to applaud. Judges Doty and Reyburn wheeled around and shot fierce glances over the house, and the attempt was not repeated.

Judge Doty said that he and his associates were well aware of the intense interest in the case all over the county, but hoped that the result would be received without any manifestation of feeling. He added that any attempt at applause would be interpreted at contempt, and would be punished accordingly. He said the opinion of the court, as it would be filed in the prothonotary's office, was of such extensiveness that it would consume almost the entire day in reading it. It was, therefore, the intention of the court to state briefly the result, as found, which was given as above.

After the announcement of the result, an order of court was read, in which the sheriff was directed to burn the ballots in the presence of the county commissioners. This was objected to by Mr. Ruffner, and the order was modified to read "That the ballots be burned within 30 days, unless an appeal has been taken out before that time."

Real Estate Transfers.

William P. Goodhart et ux. to Minnie Brickman, Johnstown; consideration, $435.

Charles Young et ux. to John C. Young, Lower Yoder, $45.

Arthur J. Moxham et ux. to August Gunga, Richland, $75.

Roland Dixon et ux. to W. Howard Beers, Reade, $400.

Adam Henry Folckemer et ux. to George C. Mardis and S. L. Reed, Blacklick, $500.

P. F. Campbell et ux. to James W. Dunwiddie et al., Barr, $2,855.

Louis Von Lunen et ux. to George W. Griffith, Johnstown, $475.

John C. Hofecker et ux. to Solomon Dorer, Upper Yoder, $1,700.

Peter Engel et ux. to Rt. Rev. R. Phelan, Richland, $2,800.

Blacklick Land & Improvement Company to Abner Griffith et al., Blacklick, $1.

Thomas A. Lilly to Charles Anna, Clearfield, $10.

Ellen Wilson to Joseph H. Boyer, Franklin, $900.

Rt. Rev. M. Domenec's executors to Rt. Rev. John Tuigg, Cambria county, $1.

Executors of Samuel Blough to Mary Blough, Richland, $308.

Emma L. Rathbone et al. to Ebensburg & Blacklick Railroad Company, Blacklick, $25.

Paul Short et ux. to Valentine S. Bishop, Patton, $150.

Marry Dorris et al. to Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Johnstown, $2,400.

Blacklick Land & Improvement Company to Abner Griffith et al., Blacklick, $1.

William Forsyth et al. to South Fork Railroad Company, Adams, $100.

Spangler Improvement Company to Austin M. McLain, Spangler, $275.

Philip Young to Mrs. Ketura Young, Cambria and other counties, $1.

Joseph Snyder et ux. to Paul Biller, Patton, $1,000.

Henry Styles et ux. to Henry J. Hoppel, Barr, etc., $700.

Accused of Blackmail.

Pittsburg, May 6.—The widow of a man who gained undying fame in the flood at Johnstown, in 1889, is accused of blackmail in an answer to her suit filed to-day in Common Pleas court. She is Mrs. Anna Malzi, whose husband was the Paul Revere of that terrible disaster. He rode through the valley of the Conemaugh, warning the people of the coming of the torrent of water, and lost his life through his bravery.

In her suit Mrs. Malzi claimed she had loaned John Noey, who was a friend of her husband, at various times, about $4-219, and he refused to pay any of the sums back. Noey in his answer relates an entirely different story. He says he received $240 from Mrs. Malzi, which he returned. He says Mrs. Malzi owes him $3,000, and because he would not give her any more money, she has threatened a pretended expose, which he says is an attempt at blackmail.

MERCANTILE

Appraiser's List

FOR THE YEAR 1895.

Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Merchandise, Brokers, and Keepers of Eating Houses and Billiard and Pool Tables in Cambria County are hereby notified that they are appraised for mercantile and other license for the year 1895 as follows:

MERCANTILE LICENSE.

	Class.	License.
ADAMS TOWNSHIP.		
Blackburn, W. H.	13	$10 25
Eichenser, W. R.	14	7 25
Fox, John	11	15 25
Gillman, Jacob	14	7 25
Kring, G. G.	14	7 25
Knepper, D. G.	14	7 25
Miller, J. F.	14	7 25
ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIP.		
Buck, William	14	7 25
Himmelwright, C. R. & H.	14	7 25
ASHVILLE BOROUGH.		
Burgoon, F. S.	14	7 25
Cawley, Dennis & Son	14	7 25
Cassidy & Myers	14	7 25
Wills, Mrs. B.	14	7 25
BARR TOWNSHIP.		
Lambour, Nicholas	14	7 25
Lieb, Casper	14	7 25
BLACKLICK TOWNSHIP.		
Davis, John	14	7 25
Empfield, T. S.	14	7 25
Michaels, Isaac	14	7 25
Selders, F. W.	14	7 25
Wagner, Henry E.	14	7 25
BARNESBORO BOROUGH.		
Barnes, Thomas	10	20 25
Butterbaugh, Mrs. H.	14	7 25
Houk, D. R. & Johnson	14	7 25
Houk & Donehue	14	7 25
Phillips, Max	13	10 25
Prosser, E. R.	14	7 25
Eureka Hardware Co.	14	7 25
CARROLLTOWN BOROUGH.		
Dietrich, P. J.	14	7 25
Eck, P. L. & Son	13	10 25
Eckenrode, Andrew	14	7 25
Hauk, J. J. & Co.	14	7 25
Maucher, J. V.	14	7 25
Starian, Nathan	11	15 75
Sharbaugh, C. A.	13	10 25
Sharbaugh, C. A., assignee	14	7 75
CHEST SPRINGS BOROUGH.		
Perry, C. H.	14	7 25
CHEST TOWNSHIP.		
Leiden, Henry	14	7 25
CARROLL TOWNSHIP.		
Hauk, J. J. & Co.	14	7 25
Reed, E. P.	14	7 25
CLEARFIELD TOWNSHIP.		
E. R. Dunegan	14	7 25
COOPERSDALE BOROUGH.		
Custer & Rager	14	7 25
Hoover, Mrs. J. L.	13	10 25
Kunkle Bros	13	10 25
CRESSON TOWNSHIP.		
Buck, C. F.	14	7 25
Broody, C.	14	7 25
Eckenrode, A.	13	10 25
Mitchell, J. A.	14	7 25
McAteer, W. W.	14	7 25
Pfeister, John	14	7 25
Union News Company	14	7 25
CROYLE TOWNSHIP.		
Moore, W. H.	14	7 25
Scott, J. C. & Son	10	20 25
DALE BOROUGH.		
Brallier, L. R.	14	7 25
Dickert, Charles	14	7 25
Horner, E. B.	14	7 25
McCleary, Wilson	14	7 25
Stull, B. F.	14	7 25
Yeager, J. B.	14	7 25
DEAN TOWNSHIP.		
Brown, D. & Co.	14	7 25
Dougherty, J. H.	14	7 25
Hill, A. M.	14	7 25
ELDER TOWNSHIP.		
Ott, Thomas & Co.	14	7 25
EAST CONEMAUGH BOROUGH.		
Alexander, Blair	14	7 25
East Conemaugh Furniture Company	14	7 25
Harrison, Soloman	14	7 25
Kelly, John	13	10 25
Kull & Bush	14	7 25
McFeaters, F. S.	14	7 25
Mandelstine, L.	14	7 25
Miller, H. W.	14	7 25
Martin, George	14	7 25
Shaffer, J. J.	14	7 25
Shaffer, P. F.	14	7 25
Tibbott, Samuel	14	7 25
EBENSBURG BOROUGH.		
Barker Bros	13	10 25
Bearer, M. D.	14	7 25
Blair, John A & Son	14	7 25
Davison, T. J.	14	7 25
Dufton, W. J.	13	10 25
Evans, Robert & Son	14	7 25
Evans, Philip	14	7 25
Ferguson & Co.	14	7 25
Griffith, Edward	14	7 25
Gurley, F. W.	14	7 25
Huntley, George	14	7 25
Jones, Mrs. R. E.	14	7 25
Jones, W. R. (Manager)	13	10 25
James, Ed.	14	7 25
Lloyd, John & Son	14	7 25
Lucas, J. D. & Co.	13	10 25
Owens, John	14	7 25
Owens, Jonathan	14	7 25
Parrish, E. C.	14	7 25
Roberts, C. T.	14	7 25
Rivinus, Carl	14	7 25
Shields, W. C.	13	10 25
Strittmatter, A.	14	7 25
Shoemaker, J.	14	7 25
Thompson, J. M.	14	7 25
Wilber, J. B.	14	7 25
EAST TAYLOR TOWNSHIP.		
Wilson, W. G.	14	7 25
FRANKLIN BOROUGH.		
Coulter, C. W. & Sons	14	7 25
Custer, M. & Sons	14	7 25
Custer, A.	14	7 25
GALLITZIN BOROUGH.		
Buck, A. C.	14	7 25
Bradley, Thomas	13	10 25
Buck, W. J.	14	7 25
Ferguson & Reed	14	7 25
Gallitzin Supply Company	10	20 25
Main Street Dry-Goods Store	14	7 25
Moore, D. R.	14	7 25
Nelson, E.	14	7 25
Orth, H.	12	12 75
Quinn, C. A.	14	7 25
Taylor & McCoy	11	15 25
Weston, W. H.	12	12 75
Yeckley, Jacob	14	7 25
GALLITZIN TOWNSHIP.		
Hagen, Henry	14	7 25
Lloyd, John	14	7 25
HASTINGS BOROUGH.		
Adolfzen, J. A.	14	7 25
Bender, I. E.	14	7 25
Binder, I. L.	14	7 25
Buck, C. A.	14	7 25
Commons, James & Sons	14	7 25
Donehue & Notley	14	7 25
Deitrich, A.	13	10 25
Eurzkauchas, E.	14	7 25
Goldman, Aaron	13	10 25
Gallon, Lewis	14	7 25
Glasser, A. W.	13	10 25
Goldman, Jacob	14	7 25
Jardine, M.	14	7 25
Mathaldi, Lewis	14	7 25
Rowley, David	14	7 25
Stitts, John	14	7 25
Spencer, E. F.	14	7 25
Van Dusen & Home	11	15 25
Wartelsky, Sol. H.	14	7 25
Yothers, R. J.	14	7 25
JACKSON TOWNSHIP.		
Barker Bros	13	10 25
Davis, M. A.	14	7 25
Varner, George C.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. First Ward.		
Brown, Charles	14	7 25
Bauers, Richard	14	7 25
Byers, C. A.	14	7 25
Boyts, J. T.	14	7 25
Confer & Knuff	13	10 75
Flynn Bros	14	7 25
Frank, C. A.	13	10 25
Grand Union Tea Company	13	10 25
Hannan, John	14	7 25
Jones, D. R.	14	7 25
Kinney, A. P.	14	7 25
Malin & Sloan	14	7 25
Miller, Nathan	12	12 75
Owens, John W.	14	7 25
Porch Bros	14	7 25
Rose, W. J. & Sons	13	10 25
Strauss, W. H.	14	7 25
Stevenson, J. W.	14	7 25
Thomas & Walters	13	10 25
Western Meat Market	14	7 25
Zimmerman, G. A.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Second Ward.		
Bieter & Rosenbaum	13	10 25
Comer Bros	12	12 75
Davis, Mrs. Thomas D.	14	7 25
Jones, M. D.	14	7 25
Kaylor, H. G.	14	7 25
Morgan, Thomas E.	14	7 25
Penn Traffic Company	1	200 25
Quirk, Stephen	14	7 25
Rutledge, J. D.	14	7 25
Ryan, John C.	13	10 25
Shaw, S. J.	14	7 25
Statler, Charles H.	14	7 25
Smith & Brenneman	10	20 25
Wisegarver, S. C.	14	7 25
Zayden, George	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Third Ward.		
Armour & Co.	7	40 75
Bantley, Herman	12	12 75
Burggraf, A. W.	14	7 45
Buchanan, George T.	13	10 25
Bostert, Gustave	13	10 25
Cohen, L.	14	7 25
Danges, A. & Co.	14	7 25
Fenn Bros	13	10 25
Farmers' Supply Company	10	20 25
Fisher, Jacob	14	7 25
Fritz, C. A.	14	7 25
Fockler, Mrs. L.	14	7 25
Grosch & Long	14	7 25
George & Chapple	14	7 25
Griffith, Charles	14	7 25
Great Eastern Clothing Company	13	10 25
Henderson Furniture Company	11	15 25
Horan, W. A.	14	7 25
Johnstown Loan & Furnishing Co.	14	7 25
Klug & Hornick	13	10 25
Kredel & Farrell	14	7 25
Kratt, W. A.	14	7 25
Katzenstine, Jacob	13	10 25
Kline, W. B. & Son	9	25 25
Love, Sunshine & Co.	5	60 25
Loebrich, H. C.	13	10 25
Louther, C. O.	14	7 25
Lenhart, Samuel	14	7 25
Lockhardt, A. W.	11	15 25
Louther, W. C.	13	10 25
Lorentz, E. C.	14	7 25
Murdock, J. M. & Bro.	13	10 25
Maloy, F. S.	14	7 25
McCrory, J. C.	14	7 25
Muehlhauser, George	14	7 25
New York Cash Grocery Co.	12	12 75
Nathan, M. & Bro.	11	15 25
Olmstead, Daniel	14	7 25
Phillips, S. E.	14	7 25
Quinn, James	8	30 25
Ramp, James	13	10 25
Ruth, Charles S.	13	10 25
Saly & Lucas	13	10 25
Swing, Joseph	14	7 25
Stern Bros	11	15 25
Suchman, Julius	14	7 25
Saul, Max	14	7 25
Stater, J. M.	14	7 25
Stenger, John	12	12 75
Thomas, H. H.	14	7 25
Tice, S. S.	14	7 25
Thomas, George M.	13	10 75
Updegrave, William	14	7 25
Viering, Henry	13	10 25
Wolf, William	14	7 25
Wehn, Louis & Son	13	10 25
Williams, Herman B.	14	7 25
Zipf, William	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Fourth Ward.		
Campbell, C. G.	14	7 25
Cohen, A. & Bro.	11	15 25
Dibert, Scott	11	15 25
Dibert, W. B.	12	12 75
Devlin, F. J.	12	12 75
Davis, Charles	14	7 25
Fondalier, L. A.	14	7 25
Foster, Andrew	9	25 25
Greer, P. F.	13	10 25
George, Solomon	14	7 25
Hay, F. W. & Sons	13	10 25
Haning & Bro	14	7 25
Heffly, H. B.	14	7 25
Hoffman, Gotlieb	14	7 25
Hohmann Bros	14	7 25
Jordan & Hinchman	8	30 25
Joy, F. A. & Son	14	7 25
Janowitz, H.	14	7 25
Kramer Bros	13	10 25
Larkin & Piper	14	7 25
McCrory, J. G.	11	15 25
Morss, C. L.	14	7 25
Marx, I.	12	12 75
Moses, J. W.	12	12 75
Monroe, W. A.	14	7 25
Roudabush, B.	13	10 25
Rugh & Eppley	14	7 25
Swank, N. B.	11	15 25
Swank Hardware Company	7	40 25
Sproul, J. R.	14	7 25
Showe, George	14	7 25
Sebry, C. B.	11	15 25
Simon, C.	12	12 75
Thomas, John & Sons	4	80 25
Woolf, L. M.	7	40 25
Waters, John H. & Bro	11	15 25
Young, Charles	14	7 25
Zang, E.	13	10 25
JOHNSTOWN. Fifth Ward.		
Adams, W. A.	14	7 25
Brehm, Frederick	14	7 25
Cover, C. B.	14	7 25
Foust, L. J.	14	7 25
Fockler, George	14	7 25
Kieffer, C. H. & Co.	14	7 25
Lawrence, P. M.	13	10 25
Levergood, J. M.	14	7 25
Shryock, G. K.	14	7 75
Strauss, William	14	7 25
Stutzman, A. F.	14	7 25
Smith, George W.	14	7 25
Taney, J. M. & Co.	14	7 25
Witt & Rankin	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Sixth Ward.		
Brinker, T. H.	14	7 25
Bratton, G. W.	14	7 25
Decker, John H.	13	10 25
Kuntz, W. J.	14	7 25
McGarry, George	14	7 25
Rullman, Louis	14	7 25
Stremmell, William	14	7 25
Twross, William	14	7 25
Wissinger & Wissinger	14	7 25
Wilson, Con. W.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Seventh Ward.		
Boyer, Henry	14	7 25
Barrick, W. R.	13	10 25
Hummell, John	14	7 25
Marshall Planing Mill Company	13	10 25
Ott, David	13	10 25
Petrikin, A. B.	14	7 25
Ream, S. C.	12	12 75
Rose, Jacob H.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Eighth Ward.		
Baer, R. L.	14	7 25
Naugle, Louis	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Ninth Ward.		
Bingle, O. L.	14	7 25
Daily, J. P.	14	7 25
Hudson, G. M.	14	7 25
Morgan, Thos. D.	14	7 25
Nenstiel, Henry	14	7 25
Riedel, Joseph	14	7 25
Sandmair, Philip	14	7 25
Widman, John	11	15 25
JOHNSTOWN. Tenth Ward.		
Quinn, M. D.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Eleventh Ward.		
Partch & Bittman	14	7 25
Rowland, Jefferson	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Twelfth Ward.		
Flynn, James	14	7 75
JOHNSTOWN. Thirteenth Ward.		
Buchanan, George E.	14	7 25
Coldren, L. C.	14	7 25
Reed, Ralph	14	7 25
Union News Company	14	7 75
JOHNSTOWN. Fourteenth Ward.		
Connelly, P.	13	10 25
Conway, John	14	7 25
Loughry, F. C.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Fifteenth Ward.		
Abraham, Anthony	14	7 25
Runyan, George	14	7 25
Boyle, Patrick	14	7 25
Clark, P. F.	14	7 25
Fisch, Martin	14	7 25
Greene, J. P.	14	7 25
Hessler, Theodore & Co.	14	7 25
Holtzman, C.	13	10 25
Kram, Abraham & Co.	14	7 25
Salem, Abraham	14	7 25
Sibel, L. A.	14	7 25
Stitch & Co.	11	15 25
Wohl, M.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Sixteenth Ward.		
Dowling, John	14	7 25
Fehee, William	14	7 25
Gaffney, James	14	7 25
Gelfund, David	14	7 25
Iarnall, J. A.	14	7 25
Lefkawitz, Morris	13	10 50
McAlear, Owen	14	7 25
Schiffaur, John	14	7 25
Scholtz & Pezold	14	7 25
Toner, Peter	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Seventeenth Ward.		
Cypher, G. M.	14	7 25
Cypher, D. H.	14	7 25
Cochran, W. A.	14	7 25
Donnelly, A.	14	7 25
Dunham, Samuel	14	7 25
DeFrance, H. T.	14	7 25
Glenn, G. B.	14	7 25
Heinze, H. M.	14	7 25
Hamp, John	14	7 25
McAllister, Alonzo	14	7 25
Prugh, W. A.	14	7 25
Shields, James	14	7 25
Otto, N. E.	14	7 25
Wagner & Specht	14	7 25
Young, M.	14	7 25
LILLY BOROUGH.		
Armitage, T. L.	14	7 25
Bender, R. J.	14	7 25
Conrad, John	14	7 25
Davis, E.	14	7 25
Edwards, Edward	14	7 25
George, Fletcher C.	13	10 25
George, Mrs. R. C.	14	7 25
Krebbs, A. B.	14	7 25
Leaghey, Mrs. Mary B.	14	7 25
Keap, L. & Co.	14	7 25
Lilly Supply Company	14	7 25
Leahy & Co.	14	7 25
McIntosh, G. R.	14	7 25
Mullen, J. B.	12	12 75
Rainey, Joseph	14	7 25
LORETTO BOROUGH.		
Litzinger, B. W.	14	7 25
McAteer, A. W.	14	7 25
Shields, J. E.	14	7 25
Wills, J. F. & Son	14	7 25
MORRELLVILLE BOROUGH.		
Anderson, Harry	13	10 25
Albrecht, Jacob	14	7 25
Bonner, M.	14	7 75
Harron & Walter	13	10 25
Craig, F. J.	14	7 25
Dunmire, H. J.	14	7 25
Esterly, John	14	7 25
Farrell & Kredell	14	7 25
Grady, Maurice	14	7 25
Gates, Gilbert	14	7 25
Loughry & Galbraity	13	10 25
McClain & Heeter	14	7 25
Newman, F. E.	14	7 25
Robertson, W. G. S.	14	7 25
Seth, J. F.	14	7 25
Saly, Peter	14	7 25
Shinefelt & Nipp	14	7 25
Von Alt, J. H.	14	7 25
Willett, William	14	7 25
Young, D. W.	14	7 25
MUNSTER TOWNSHIP.		
Eberly, Henry	14	7 75
PATTON BOROUGH.		
Bell, L. S.	14	7 25
Boyce, Samuel	14	7 25
Buck, H. S.	14	7 25
Cambria Hardware Company	14	7 25
Cornelius, J. R.	14	7 25
Feder, Joseph	14	7 25
Good, George S.	9	25 25
Gagliardi, John	14	7 25
Hodgkins, C. W.	14	7 25
Lincoln & McNeal	14	7 25
Murkin & Kusner	14	7 25
Patton Supply Company	13	10 25
Severn, E. J.	14	7 25
Thomas, A. M.	14	7 25
Weakland, Walter	14	7 25
Wolf & Thompson	14	7 25
Wholerlagle, Mrs. Eva C.	14	7 25
Yahner, John	14	7 25
PORTAGE BOROUGH.		
Goldstine, A. B. & H. S.	13	10 25
Haupt, L. A. & Co.	13	10 25
Moody, William H.	14	7 25
Pringle, M. A.	14	7 25
Wilson, J. E. & Co.	13	10 25
Koung, F. H. & Co.	14	7 25
PORTAGE TOWNSHIP.		
Conler, W. S.	14	7 25
Piper, M. K. & Co.	13	10 25
States, George W.	13	10 25
Wilkinson, Thomas	14	7 25
READE TOWNSHIP.		
Bowers, R. E.	14	7 25
Bland, Fred	14	7 25
Eldorado Coal Company	14	7 25
Frick, Max	13	10 25
Fries & Schmithe	13	10 25
Glasgow, J. H.	14	7 25
Glasgow, G. L.	14	7 25
Keystone Merchandise Company	9	25 25
Kuhn, E.	14	7 25
Kuhn, G. B.	14	7 25
Troxell, C. E.	14	7 25
Union Supply Company	14	7 25
Willhide, A. R.	14	7 25
ROSEDALE BOROUGH.		
Eppley, L. & A. W.	14	7 25
RICHLAND TOWNSHIP.		
Haughton, James	14	7 25
ROXBURY BOROUGH.		
Hillegas, S. J.	14	7 25
STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP.		
Excelsior Store	14	7 25
SOUTH FORK BOROUGH.		
Buck, A. C. & Co.	14	7 25
Goldstine, I.	13	10 25
George, N. S. & Son	14	7 25
Grambling, E. S.	13	10 25
Gates, George E.	14	7 25
Kauffman, J.	14	7 25
Lukens, Haupt & Co.	13	10 25
Murphy, Noah	14	7 25
Mandelstine, L.	14	7 25
Pringle, A. A.	14	7 25
Strong, A. D.	14	7 25
Stineman Bros	12	12 75
South Fork Supply Company	14	7 25
Treece, S. W.	13	10 25
Wicks, John S.	14	7 25
Wilt, T. J.	14	7 25
SPANGLER BOROUGH.		
Anderson, H. M. & A.	14	7 25
Binder, E. M.	14	7 25
Cushing, A. B.	14	7 25
Eger, Henry	14	7 25
Girard, C.	14	7 25
Liddle, W. H.	14	7 25
McGowan, H. J.	14	7 25
McNeelis, James	14	7 25
McGarvey, R. H.	14	7 25
McClain & Co.	13	10 25
Magolis, J. & Co.	14	7 25
Spangler Hardware Company	14	7 25
Wayne, M.	13	10 25
SUMMERHILL BOROUGH.		
Dimond, M. C.	14	7 25
McCall, Patrick	14	7 25
Plummer, Wallace	14	7 25
Werner, Anthony	14	7 25
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.		
Benscreek Supply Company	14	7 25
Leap, Martin	14	7 25
WILMORE BOROUGH.		
Brown, P. M.	14	7 25
Kirby, P. F.	14	7 25
Robertson, W. H. & Son	14	7 25
Sherbine, Wallace	14	7 25
Wentroth, George	14	7 25
YODER TOWNSHIP (LOWER).		
Habbich & Hudach	14	7 25
Kisslake, M.	14	7 25
YODER TOWNSHIP (UPPER).		
McKee, C. W.	14	7 25

BILLIARD AND POOL TABLES.

	No. of Tables.	License.
EBENSBURG BOROUGH.		
Brown, P. F.	1	30 25
Denny, J. B.	3	50 25
GALLITZIN BOROUGH.		
Campbell, John	1	30 25
HASTINGS BOROUGH.		
Foust, G. B. M.	2	40 25
Kline, F. J.	3	50 25
JOHNSTOWN. Third Ward.		
Hamm, C. B.	7	90 25
JOHNSTOWN. Fourth Ward.		
Morss, C. L.	4	60 25
Wier, F. P.	6	80 25
JOHNSTOWN. Seventeenth Ward.		
Burgdorf, Frederick	2	40 25
LILLY BOROUGH.		
Haley, John	1	30 75
Short, Vincent	1	30 25
MORRELLVILLE BOROUGH.		
Young, Albert	3	50 25
PATTON BOROUGH.		
Green, George	3	50 75
Stratiff, W. W.	2	40 25
SOUTH FORK BOROUGH.		
Dimond, William	1	30 75
Hutzel, Charles	1	30 75
Hamilton, John	1	30 75
Murphy, Noah	1	30 25
SPANGLER BOROUGH.		
Merthers, James	1	30 25
Rodkey, I. N.	2	40 75

BROKERS.

	Class.	License
JOHNSTOWN. First Ward.		
Brown & Otto	13	10 25
Clark, F. W.	14	7 25
JOHNSTOWN. Third Ward.		
Blauch, D. D.	13	10 25

EATING HOUSES.

	Class.	License
EAST CONEMAUGH BOROUGH.		
Wright, William D.	8	5 25
HASTINGS BOROUGH.		
Foust, G. B. M.	8	5 22
JOHNSTOWN. Second Ward.		
Conrad, Michael	8	5 25
JOHNSTOWN. Third Ward.		
Carpenter, George B.	7	10 25
McCaffrey, F. H.	8	5 75
Mussante, Charles	8	5 25
SOUTH FORK BOROUGH.		
Stineman, W. H.	8	5 25

An APPEAL weld be held **Tuesday and Wednesday, June 4 and 5, 1895**, at the COURT HOUSE, EBENSBURG, where all interested can attend.

J. S. ASHBRIDGE,
Mercantile Appraiser.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.
The following accounts have been examined and passed by me and remain filed of record in this office for the inspection of heirs, legatees and all others interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Cambria county for confirmation and allowance on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, A. D. 1895:

1. First and final account of Jerome Bowman, administrator of Frank P. Bowman, late of Woodvale, deceased.
2. First and final account of James K. Boyd, executor of Joshua C. Boyd, late of Johnstown, deceased.
3. First and partial account of Jane Lewis, administratrix of Thomas D. Lewis, late of Cambria township, deceased.
4. First and final account of William E. Coshun, executor of William Coshun, late of Johnstown, deceased.
5. Second and final account of John Foust, administrator of Samuel H. Miller, late of Blacklick township, deceased.
6. First and final account of James Kinney, guardian of minor children of James Daly, deceased.
7. First and final account Daniel J. Pringle, administrator of Mary Pringle, late of Summerhill township, deceased.
8. First and final account of George W. Cree, administrator of John A. Cree, late of Reade township, deceased.
9. First and final account of Joseph Hogue, executor of Mary Catharine Adams, late of Allegheny township, deceased.
10. First and partial account of Anthony Dietrich and George Dietrich, executors of the last will and testament of Philip J. Dietrich, late of Chest township, deceased.
11. First account of Aloysius Sheiber, executor of the last will and testament of Anthony Sheiber, late of Munster township, deceased.
12. Third and final account of Wm. M. Dodson, guardian of Joseph Fieldhouse, minor son of Joseph Fieldhouse, late of Millville borough, deceased.
13. First and partial account of Kittie Cobaugh, administratrix of Peter A. Cobaugh, late of Johnstown, deceased.
14. First and final account of F. P. Martin, administrator of Mary Connor, deceased.
15. First and final account of Benjamin L. Yeagly, guardian of Mary Alice Royer, stated by Joseph H. Berlin, executor of Benjamin L. Yeagley, deceased.
16. First and final account of Benjamin L. Yeagley, guardian of Bruce H. Campbell, stated by Joseph H. Berlin, executor of Benjamin L. Yeagley, deceased.
17. First and final account of R. L. Rankin and Frank M. Coleman, executors of Margaret P. Coleman, late of Johnstown, deceased.
18. First and final account of Robert Sagerson administrator of Matilda Kough, late of Johnstown, deceased.
19. First and final account of David J. Shaffer guardian of Harry Hildebrand, minor child of Hannah Hildebrand, late of Adams township, deceased.
20. Final account of Daniel Tantlinger, guardian of Blanche Tantlinger, minor child of Wm. Tantlinger, late of Johnstown, deceased.
21. Final account of Daniel Tanglinger, guardian of Daisy Tantlinger minor child of William Tantlinger, late of Johnstown, deceased.
22. First and final account of Ed. O. Fisher, administrator of Susan D. Lightner, late of Johnstown, deceased.
23. Second and final account of Anthony Kohler, guardian of Mary Frantz, minor child of Frank and Johanna Frantz, late of Cambria borough, deceased.
24. First and final account of P. F. McAnemy, administrator of Wm. L. McGrath, late of Johnstown, deceased.
25. The first account of Clara C. Dibert, administratrix of Walter J. Dibert, late of Johnstown deceased.
26. First and final account of R. S. Murphy administrator of W. Dick Shupe, late of Johnstown, deceased.
27. The first and final account of W. H. H. Robertson, guardian of Maggie, John and Lena Kuhn, minor children of Jacob H. Kuhn, late of Summerhill township, deceased.
28. The account of Michael P. Kearney administrator C. T. A. of John Kearney, late of Munster township, deceased.
29. The account of Michael P. Kearney, administrator of Rose Kearney, late of Cresson township, deceased.
30. Second and final account of John Itel, administrator of Michael Braniff, late of Summerhill township, deceased.
31. First and final account of Ellie D. Settlemire, administratrix of Isaac H. Settlemire, late of Coopersdale, deceased.
32. First and partial account of Luke A. Byrne and Simon P. Lantry, executors of Amelia Byrne, late of Susquehanna township, deceased.
33. The second account of Peter Robine, Jr., guardian of George, Christopher and James Robine, minor children of Christopher Robine, Sr., and Elizabeth Robine, deceased.

DANIEL A. McGOUGH,
Register.

Register's Office, Ebensburg, Pa., May 10th, A. D. 1895.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENT.
Notice is hereby given that the following named appraisements of property appraised and set apart for widows of decedents under the Act of Assembly of the 4th of April, A. D. 1851, have been filed in the Register's Office in and for the county of Cambria, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said county for confirmation and allowance on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, A. D. 1895:

1. Inventory and appraisement of personal property appraised and set apart to Jane Kelly, widow of John Kelly, late of Jackson township, deceased. $23 55
2. Inventory and appraisement of personal property appraised and set apart to Harrett Vivian, widow of James Vivian, late of South Fork, deceased.
3. Inventory and appraisement of personal property appraised and set apart to Margaret Roberts, widow of Owen W. Roberts, late of Summerhill township, deceased. $300 00.
4. Inventory and appraisement of personal property and real estate appraised and set apart to Susan E. Lohr, widow of Lowman L. Lohr, late of Johnstown, deceased. Personal property, $75 00; real estate, $225 00.
5. Inventory and appraisement of personal property appraised and set apart to Hannah Beers, widow of Mark O. Beers, late of Reade township, deceased. $148 30.
6. Inventory appraisement of personal property and real estate appraised and set apart to Mary E. Burkey, widow of John William Burkey, late of the borough of Patton, deceased. Personal property, $38 50; real estate, $250 00.
7. Inventory and appraisement of personal property appraised and set apart to Elizabeth M. Cover, widow of Benjamin F. Cover, late of late of Johnstown, deceased. $266.38

DANIEL A. McGOUGH,
Register.

Register's Office, Ebensburg, Pa., May 10, A. D. 1895.

TRIAL LIST.
List of causes set down for trial Second week, June term, 1895:

Scheil vs. Hipps & Lloyd.
Smith vs. Trainor.
Arnholt vs. Westover.
Eckenrode vs. Chest Creek C. & C. Co.
Cover vs. Horrocks.

Trial List—Third week, June term, 1895.

Orth vs. Haworth & Dewhurst.
Hopple vs. Eckenrode.
Kinports vs. Long.
Kinports vs. Long.
Shoemaker vs. Good.
Blair vs. Good.
Spenger vs. City of Johnstown.
Giles vs. Gessler.
Klepser & Co. vs. Cresswell.
Use M'Garry vs. Miller.
M'Kay's Exr. vs. Groom et al.
Friday vs. Kirby.
Davis vs. Krebbs.
Anderson vs. M'Donald et al.
Johnstown Driving Park Assn. vs. Adair.
Kistler vs. Felix.
Dunmire vs. Stambaugh.
Hastings vs. O'Connor.
Shoemaker Admr. vs. Tri Co. Agrl. Assn.
Hammond vs. Jones.
Lilly Water Co. vs. M'Cann et al.
Pittsburg Sadling Co., vs. Langbein.
King vs. Holsopple.
Boggs & Buhl vs. Campbell et ux.
Bush vs. Condrin.

J. C. DARBY,
Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's office, May 10, 1895.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.
W. A. B. Little and Susan C. Little, his wife, of the borough of Loretto, Cambria county, having by their deed of voluntary assignment dated March 23, 1895, conveyed to the undersigned, in trust for the benefit of creditors, all the property of the said W. A. B. Little, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said W. A. B. Little will please make payment to the assignee, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.

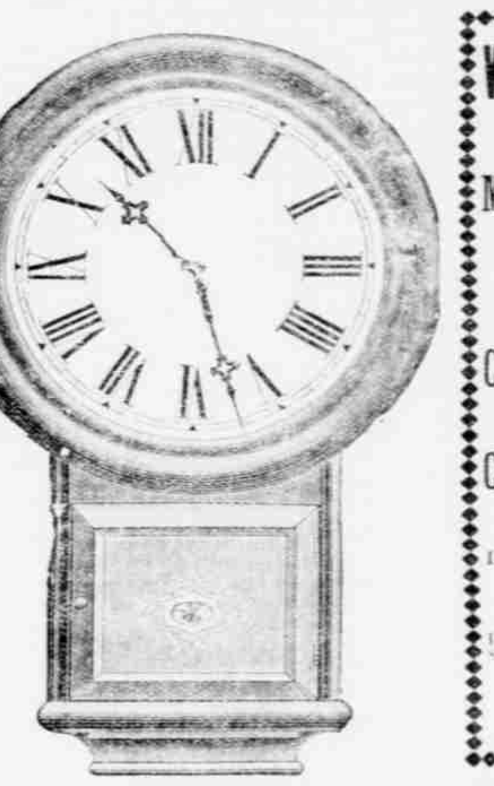
P. J. LITTLE,
Assignee of W. A. B. Little.

Ebensburg, Pa., March 29, 1895.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Philip Farren, deceased.
Letters of administration upon the estate of Philip Farren, deceased, late of Munster township, in Cambria county, Pennsylvania, having been granted to me, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

H. P. FARREN,
Munster, Pa., April 12, 1895. X Administrator.

CARL RIVINIUS,
—PRACTICAL—
WATCHMAKER & JEWELER,
—AND DEALER IN—

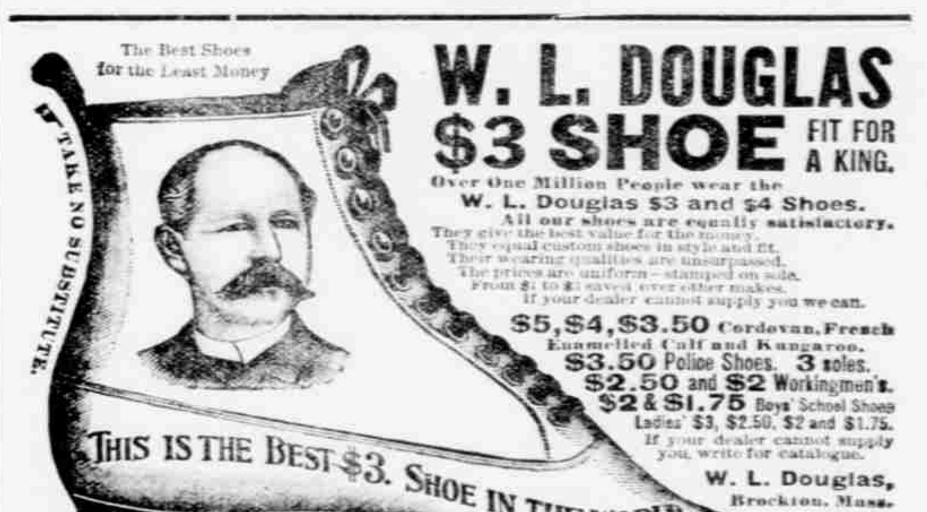


WATCHES, CLOCKS,
JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
—AND—
OPTICAL GOODS.
SOLE AGENT FOR THE
CELEBRATED ROCKFORD
WATCHES.
Columbia and Fredonia Watches
In Key and Stem Winders.
LARGE SELECTION OF ALL KINDS OF JEWELRY ALWAYS ON HAND.
☞ My line of Jewelry is unsurpassed. Come and see for yourself before purchasing elsewhere.
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FARMERS!
TAKE NOTICE

When you want GOOD FLOUR take your grain to the OLD SHENKLE MILL in Ebensburg. The
FULL ROLLER PROCESS
for the manufacture of Flour has been put in the Old Shenkle Grist Mill in Ebensburg and turns out nothing but
FIRST CLASS WORK.
Bring in your grain and give us a trial. Each man's grain in ground separately and you get the Flour of your own wheat. If farmers wish to exchange grain for Flour they can do so. The Mill is running every day with the BEST OF POWER.

S. D. LUDWIG,
PROPRIETOR.



W. L. DOUGLAS
$3 SHOE FIT FOR A KING.
Over One Million People wear the
W. L. Douglas $3 and $4 Shoes.
All our shoes are equally satisfactory.
They give the best value for the money.
They equal custom shoes in style and fit.
Their wearing qualities are unsurpassed.
The prices are uniform—stamped on sole.
From $1 to $3 saved over other makes.
If your dealer cannot supply you we can.
$5, $4, $3.50 Cordovan, French Enamelled Calf and Kangaroo.
$3.50 Police Shoes. 3 soles.
$2.50 and $2 Workingmen's.
$2 & $1.75 Boys' School Shoes.
Ladies' $3, $2.50, $2 and $1.75.
If your dealer cannot supply you, write for catalogue.
W. L. Douglas,
Brockton, Mass.
For Sale by J. D. LUCAS & CO.



There is a Reason
Why some Stoves and Ranges are better than others; good material, careful construction, and a knowledge of the wants of the housekeeper are all necessary to make the kitchen stove a success.
The Cinderella Stoves and Ranges
are made to meet every requirement; they are even bakers and perfect roasters.
Special attention is paid to cleanliness, economy and durability.
Made in all styles and sizes, with a view of suiting the most critical at a moderate cost.
"None Better—Few as Good."
☞ Sold by the following dealers:
EBENSBURG—H. A. Shoemaker. CARROLLTOWN—P. J. Dietrich. HASTINGS—I. E. Bender. SPANGLER—E. M. Binder. PATTON—A. M. Thomas. [feb22.95]

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To go to QUINN'S, Clinton street, Johnstown, to buy Carpets, Linoleums, Mattings, Oil Cloths, Blankets, Feathers, &c. Prices Reduced on All Goods, and FREIGHT PAID on All Large Packages.
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In all its Latest and Most Improved Methods.
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☞ Terms Strictly Cash.
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Ebensburg Fire Insurance Agency
T. W. DICK,
General Insurance Agent,
EBENSBURG, PA.

F. X. FEES'
Shaving Parlor,
Main Street, Near Post Office
The undersigned desires to inform the public that he has opened a shaving parlor on Main street, near the post office where barbering in all its branches will be carried on in the future. Everything neat and clean. Your patronage solicited.
F. X. FEES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the flour and feed business has this day been dissolved. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm will call on John F. Tibbott, of Ebensburg, who has charge of the collection of all accounts.

ROBERT FERGUSON,
A. C. GLASS.

April 23, 1895. ma3.3t.

AGENTS WANTED by an old reliable firm; large profits, quick sales, SAMPLE FREE. A rare opportunity. Geo. A. Scott, 842 Broadway, N. Y.

SPAIN CAN RETALIATE.

An Incident Where She Can Demand an Apology.

FLORIDA ACTING BULLHEADED.

Her Quarantine Officials Have Been Holding a Spanish Cruiser In Spite of Contrary Advice From the Treasury Department—May Be Released Tonight.

TAMPA, Fla., May 8.—The detention of the Spanish warship Infanta Isabella for having violated the quarantine laws by passing the quarantine station at Mullet Key is evidently creating a stir. The collector of customs has received the following telegram from the treasury department: "Paragraph D, Section 2, Article 2, quarantine regulations domestic ports, is hereby waived in case of Spanish warvessel Infanta Isabella, reported detained at Mullet Key quarantine, by the authority of United States law and regulations."

The foregoing relates to vessels arriving from ports where yellow fever prevails, and unless disinfected in accordance with the regulations and not less than five days have elapsed since such disinfection the vessel shall be detained. The telegram was submitted to the state health officer, who promptly wired back to the treasury department: "Spanish war cruiser Infanta Isabella, 175 men, direct from Havana, was ordered into quarantine at Key West May 1 by the state quarantine officer, which action was approved by Surgeon General Wyman, then at Key West; refusing quarantine, left port for sea, but went into Tampa bay May 2, about 5 o'clock in the afternoon running by quarantine station; was ordered back next morning by quarantine patrol boat for disinfection and detention in accordance with state and United States laws, where she is now. Respectfully protest any relaxation of United States law in this instance. I shall enforce the state quarantine laws."

When detained, the officers of the Infanta said they were in a hurry, as some one wanted to reach Jacksonville. The state board, however, recognized no privilege. Dr. Porter visited the quarantine station today and the Infanta was thoroughly examined and will be released tonight.

A Washington special says: The action of the Florida state board of health officials, in refusing to release the Infanta Isabella, has been communicated to the treasury department. Secretary Carlisle said that in view of this action there was nothing more for his department to do in the matter. His directions to the collector of customs at Tampa had been to inform the state officials that if the vessel was held by them under the allegation that she was violating government regulations she ought to be released. If the vessel is now being held by the state officials under the state laws, that was another matter with which he could not interfere.

The United States having waived the provision of the quarantine regulations through which the Infanta Isabella is detained it would not be surprising if the Spanish government took official notice of the incident and lodged a complaint with the state department.

THE STEEL SITUATION.

Frick and Gray Talk on the Matter In New York.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Henry C. Frick, of the Carnegie Steel company of Pittsburg, and R. H. A. Gray, secretary and treasurer of the Illinois Steel company of Chicago, are in town. These two gentlemen represent the largest steel interests in the country, and the fact that they were together at the same hotel gave rise to a rumor that they were here for conference upon the steel business.

"Has the demand for steel increased to such an extent that the Pennsylvania companies have increased wages as is rumored by dispatches in the daily press?" Mr. Frick was asked.

"I have noticed no such increase if there has been one, and I do not believe that any companies are going to raise wages just at present," was his answer.

Later he said that while business is increasing and there is a more active demand for rails and structural iron, the business is not in a condition which he hopes it will attain. Mr. Gray, in answer to questions, said: "With our company business has been very bad, but is improving, and I am in hopes that we shall have a better year than we had last. Our company has just erected and has had in operation for the last six weeks a plate mill which is turning out a great many orders. As far as wages are concerned I think they will be raised, but I think that any statement that they are to be raised immediately is premature."

NOW FRANCE IS GREEDY.

Wants Japan to Give Up Formosa and the Pescadores.

PARIS, May 8.—It is stated that France is negotiating with Japan regarding the recession of Formosa and the Pescadore islands to China. France insists that in the event of Japan holding the islands the strength of the Japanese garrison and the number of warships be limited.

A London special says: The Times says it is reported that in consideration of her abandonment of all claims to Liao Tung, Japan will receive an additional indemnity of £10,000,000.

Started Around the World.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 8.—The sloop Spray, commanded by Captain Joshua Slocum of Fair Haven, has sailed from this port on a trip around the world. Captain Slocum is entirely alone in the Spray, which is only 40 feet in length. She is not heavily sparred or canvassed and looks able to carry her daring owner elsewhere. Captain Slocum has already circled the earth five times. He expects to strike the coast of South America in about five weeks.

New Danger In Corsets.

BROOKLYN, May 8.—Sophie Marsh, a cook employed by Dr. Frederick Waygant at 645 Bedford avenue, found that a celluloid corset is the worst possible thing to wear about a cooking stove in case of fire. Her skirt caught fire at the kitchen stove. She screamed and the doctor tore the burning garment off, but the corset blazed in spite of all that could be done until the girl was immersed in a bathtub of water. Her injuries are serious, but she may recover.

Warship Ordered to Ecuador.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Secretary Herbert has ordered the Ranger to Guayquil to look after American interests in Ecuador, where trouble has arisen, growing out of the connection of government officials with the sale of the cruiser Esmeralda to Japan. The vessel was sold by Chile, but sailed under the Ecuadorian flag to prevent seizure.

Colorado Wants the Fight.

DENVER, May 8.—Reddy Gallagher has wired Joe Vendig and Corbett's manager in New York, offering a purse of $25,000 to have the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight drawn off in Colorado. Gallagher says he has the written promise of two of the leading bankers of Denver to raise this purse, or even $40,000 should competition make it necessary.

Zincworkers May Strike.

NEVADA, Mo., May 8.—Nearly 2,700 zincworkers in this territory may strike soon if the wages that existed several months ago are not restored.

A VICTORY FOR PENROSE.

Senate Committee Recommends His Lexow Resolution—Legislative Matters.

HARRISBURG, May 8.—Senator Penrose's resolution movement for an investigation of the municipal affairs of Philadelphia, took a step in advance, when the senate judiciary general committee unanimously agreed to favorably report the resolution. The motion to report the resolution was made by Senator Penrose and seconded by Senator Kennedy. Senator Osbourn made an attempt to oppose the action, stating that, in his opinion, the memorial was unnecessary. The vote was then taken, every member of the committee acting favorably to the resolution.

A resolution was adopted by the senate to give to the secretary and deputy secretary of internal affairs and the auditor general the desks and chairs used by them during their terms of office.

These bills passed finally: Providing for the filling of any vacancy in the office of tax collector; to prohibit conditional rebates in the sale of alcohol for medicinal purposes; house bill forbidding the sale of certain articles within one mile from any campmeeting; house bill relating to the lien of judgments against decedents; house bill fixing the standard weight of a bushel of onions; house bill relative to actions by husband and wife for injury to the person wrongfully indicted upon her; house bill to amend the act authorizing county commissioners to furnish supplies and fuel for certain county officers so as to include additional articles.

These house bills passed finally: Requiring writs of scire facias on mechanics' liens to be indexed on judgment dockets; authorizing notaries public, prothonotaries and clerks of the court to administer oaths and take affidavits in divorce proceedings; validating the franchises of corporations whose charters have expired.

The house passed numerous bills finally. The Wyatt company store bill was on the list. It prohibited mining and manufacturing corporations from compelling their employes to deal at their stores. The factory inspector is to see the law is enforced. Other bills passing finally were the following: An act to provide for the sale of certain lands belonging to the state where channels of navigable rivers have been abandoned for purposes of navigation by opening new channels. An act authorizing borough councils to change the designation of wards. A bill amending the act of May 24, 1887, relating to the number of teachers necessary for a separate institute.

Mr. Mackrell (Allegheny) had a bill on third reading known as the county commissioners' advertising bill, providing that all official notices shall be published in not less than two or more than five papers, one of which shall be a German paper. An effort was made to amend this so that a minority party paper would be included, but the amendment was defeated. The bill passed finally.

The bill creating the office of deputy auditor general was killed in the house by a decisive vote. Representative Collins, who had the measure in charge, changed his vote before the result was announced, so as to be in a position to move to reconsider. The sentiment against the bill is so strong that there seems to be no hope of its reconsideration. This is unfortunate for Auditor General Mylin, who took the oath of office yesterday. General Mylin was confident the bill would pass and had selected John A. Glenn of Philadelphia for the place. Captain P. D. Bricker of Jersey Shore, corporation clerk under General Gregg, was to have been retained in this position and ex-Revenue Collector Sam M. Fidy of Lancaster was to be chief clerk. The defeat of the bill means the retirement of Captain Bricker, whose place will be filled by Colonel Glenn.

Much time was consumed in discussing the Penrose bill to prohibit prizefighting and regulate glove contests. The friends of the bill amended it so as to increase the penalty for prizefightin, from $100 to $1,000, and from three months' imprisonment to two years. It was also changed so as to allow eight ounce instead of six-ounce gloves and limit the number of rounds to six. Representatives Sallinger and Fow took the ground that such a measure was necessary to protect the legitimate athletic associations of Philadelphia and other large cities. Mr. Baldwin said if the bill became a law it would legalize prizefighting. The bill was killed by a vote of 47 yeas to 105 nays.

Senator Flinn's bill authorizing traction or motor power companies to enter into contract with each other for the sale, lease and operation of their respective properties and franchises, and to allow such companies to lay out new roads and circuits over the whole or any part of any street or streets occupied by such corporations passed finally.

The bill allowing county commissioners to elect the county solicitor and fix his salary was called up by Mr. Culbertson, and passed finally.

Governor Hastings will likely sign the Greater Pittsburg bills today. This evening a banquet will be given to the legislators by the promoters of the greater city. About 400 invitations have been issued.

Governor Hastings has appointed E. B. Henderson of Brookville associate judge of Jefferson county, vice Chris Miller of Punxsutawney, resigned.

Numerous people interested in the formation of the new county of Monongahela appeared before the counties and townships committee of the senate. Both sides were backward in producing arguments, and the hearing was continued until today.

The Fayette county people are no longer fighting the new county scheme. There was a conference between them and the Pittsburgers. It was agreed to take very little Fayette territory. In this way the support of the legislators from this district was secured. This will relieve Senator Walton of Greene from voting against the bill. Under the new deal more territory will be taken from Washington.

All the district along the Monongahela up to the boundary lines of Greater Pittsburg is also to go into Monongahela county. The Allegheny delegation is agreeable to this. The Washington county people are now scared. Senator Quay was principally interested in protecting Fayette county, and it is said he is now in favor of Monongahela county's erection.

Rear Admiral Almy Ill.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Admiral Almy, United States navy, retired, is very ill, and in view of his advanced age his family and friends are seriously alarmed over his condition.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Cincinnati—

										R	H	E
Cincinnati	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	—7	9	8
New York	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	—6	6	3

Batteries—Murphy, Phillips and Rhines; Farrell and Meekin. Umpire—Keefe. Attendance, 3,700.

At Pittsburg—

							R	H	E
Pittsburg	1	1	0	0	3	*	—5	6	1
Brooklyn	1	0	4	2	2	0	—9	8	2

Batteries—Sugden, Hart, Menefee and Killen; Grim and Lucid. Umpires—Murray and Long.

At Chicago—

										R	H	E
Chicago	0	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	1	—10	13	3
Washington	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	—9	10	4

Batteries—Donohue and Terry; McGuire, Mercer and Mullarkey. Umpire—McDonald. Attendance, 1,800.

At St. Louis—

										R	H	E
St. Louis	0	2	3	2	0	0	0	3	*	—10	11	3
Boston	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	0	—6	14	6

Batteries—Peitz, Staley and Breitenstein; Ganzel and Wilson. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance, 1,000.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
Pittsburg	10	4	.714	Cincinnati	8	7	.533
Cleveland	8	4	.667	New York	5	7	.417
Boston	7	4	.636	Philadelphia	4	6	.400
Chicago	8	6	.571	Louisville	4	8	.333
Baltimore	5	4	.556	St. Louis	5	10	.333
Brooklyn	6	5	.545	Washington	3	8	.273

League Games Today.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg, Boston at St. Louis, Baltimore at Cleveland, New York at Cincinnati, Philadelphia at Louisville and Washington at Chicago.

FIGHT WITH STRIKERS.

Furnacemen Take Possession of a South Chicago Plant.

TRY TO DRIVE WORKMEN OUT.

A Pitched Battle Follows and the Police Have a Hard Fight Dispersing the Rioters—One Workman, One Striker and Two Police Officers Hurt.

CHICAGO, May 8.—A serious strike has occurred at the plant of the Illinois Steel company in South Chicago, where 1,200 men are on a strike. It was found necessary to call on the police. The strikers for a time stood their ground against the officers, but were soon defeated and driven from the premises. The men most seriously hurt were: Jack Shepherd, a machinist, struck on the head by a hammer in the hands of a striker, severe scalp wounds, rendered unconscious, but will recover; Edward Shaks, striker, thrown out of machine shop by workmen, body bruised; Officer V. Liendecker, hit with a coupling pin, bad cut over right eye; Officer Patrick McManley, hit in the mouth with a brick.

Twenty-eight men who are said to have been the leaders of the strikers at the rioting, were arrested and locked up at the South Chicago police station. They are charged with rioting. They are all ignorant Huns, Poles and Bohemians.

According to Vice President Forsythe of the company, this spring the furnace men signed a scale of wages calling for the rate of $2.10 per day. The scale has been observed up to this time, but the men demanded that they be paid at the rate of last year, which was somewhat higher. This the company refused to do, and the men struck.

The men forced their way past the watchman at one of the gates and proceeded to take possession of the company's property. They marched first to where some of the laboring men were still at work, and either compelled them to join their ranks or quit work. Not much trouble was experienced with the laborers, but when the strikers reached the machine shop, where about 400 machinists were employed, they met with a different reception. Then they began an attack upon the machine shop with stones and such things as they could pick up. The machinists for the most part stood their ground and gave the strikers as good as they sent.

The fight was growing warm and broken heads and bloody noses were growing very common when the police, who had been summoned when the fight first began, arrived. They were under the command of Captain Jenkins, who at once made a charge on the mob with his handful of officers. The strikers at first refused to give ground and the police used their clubs freely. This did not have the desired effect, and Captain Jenkins ordered his men to draw their revolvers and fire over the heads of the strikers. As soon as this was done, the mob broke and fled wildly from the premises of the company. The fight lasted a few minutes, and there was no more rioting.

POCAHONTAS STRIKE.

Best of Order Maintained Among the Striking Miners.

POCAHONTAS, Va., May 8.—The best of order has been preserved in this city. The miners held a massmeeting just across the state line in West Virginia. Soldiers would not permit travel on the thoroughfares, but the meetings were reached. The miners are now thoroughly organized and held massmeetings today at Simmons and Mayberry, in West Virginia. The fields are a unit for the strike, but the coal companies here say they intend to run the mines if new men have to be brought in.

The Southwest Virginia Improvement company and the Eckman mines have telegraphed for 600 miners to come to this place, and the houses are now being put up by the company to house them. Mr. Bullitt says he intends to win or break the Pocahontas company. No one knows what may be the outcome in the event of foreign miners coming in. The struggle is now on in earnest, and it promises to be a long and a hard one.

The Southwest Virginia Coal company issued circulars that it would pay all the men tomorrow, but no men who occupy the company houses would be paid until the houses are vacated. As most of the houses here are the company's nearly all the miners will be dispossessed. What this feature will lead to will be hard to foretell. The output yesterday was 20 cars of coal and 17 of coke.

Strikers Winning Their Fight.

PITTSBURG, May 8.—All departments of the Sligo mill went to work this morning but on a vastly different basis from that on which it was operated before the fight for the Amalgamated rate. The Sligo plant is now an out and out Amalgamated concern. Strikers at other plants are wild with excitement.

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

The International Meeting Convened In Springfield, Mass., Today.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 8.—The thirty-first international convention of the Y. M. C. A. of North America opened here today. Fully 1,200 delegates are present. The convention began at 10 o'clock with "quiet" day services at Christ Episcopal church, conducted by Rev. Floyd W. Tompkins, Jr., of Providence.

At 3:30 the first regular session of the convention was called to order in the State Street Baptist church by the president, G. N. Pierce of Dayton, O. The delegates from each state then elected one delegate to a nomination committee. Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler of Brooklyn will present a report on the London jubilee conference. Rev. Dr. A. Langdon of Providence will make remarks. The permanent organization will then be effected, and a social will follow in the association building. This evening exercises will be held in the city hall.

Altoona Man to Bring Suit.

NEW YORK, May 8.—August Simon of Altoona, Pa., has made application to the United States circuit court for an order directing the commercial agency of R. G. Dun & Co. to file with the clerk of the court a statement said to have been circulated by them on March 5, last, in which he wants to base a suit for $50,000. He claims that the agency sent a circular to its customers on that day to the effect that he was selling shoes below cost price and living above his means, and that he was insolvent. His credit was then damaged. The statement, he claims, was false and libelous.

King and Queen In a Wreck.

ROME, May 8.—King Humbert and Queen Margaret were on their way by rail, in a special train from Florence to this city, attended by their suites. Suddenly, near Incisa lake, there was a violent shock. One of the carriages was derailed and everybody on board the train received more or less serious concussions. An obstruction of some description, it appears, either fell across the track or was placed there by evil-minded persons. Several members of the royal suit sustained slight injuries, but the king and queen escaped with nothing more serious than a bad shaking up.

Cadets to Go to Africa.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 8.—It is understood that the naval authorities have decided to send the practice ship Monongahela on the cadets' summer cruise to the Madeira Island, off the northwest coast of Africa. She will sail about June 9.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, May 7.

WHEAT—No 1 red, 65@66c; No 2 red, 64@65c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 54½@55c; mixed ear, 51@52c; No 2 yellow shelled, 51½@52½c.

OATS—No 1 white, 36@36½c; No. 2 do., 35½@36c; extra No. 3 white, 35@35½c; mixed 34@34½c.

HAY—Choice timothy, $12.00@12.25; No. 2 timothy, $11.00@11.50; mixed clover and timothy, $11.00@11.50; packing, $7.00@7.50; No. 1 feeding prairie, $8.50@9.00; wagon hay, $17.00@18.00.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 22@23c; Ohio fancy creamery, 18@20c; fancy country, roll, 15@16c; low grades and cooking, 9@10c.

CHEESE—Ohio mild, 9@10c; New York, fall make, 10½@11c; limberger, fall make, 12@12½c; Wisconsin Swiss, 13@13½c; Ohio Swiss, 10@11c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio in cases, 13@13½c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 60@65c per pair; live chickens, small, 50@60c; ducks, 60@65c per pair, as to size; dressed chickens 12@13c per pound; turkeys 14@15c per pound; ducks 14@15c per pound; live turkeys, 9@10c per pound; live geese, 80c@1.00 per pair.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., May 7.

CATTLE—Receipts fair this week, and the demand is fair; the quality of cattle much better; market steady at about last week's prices. We quote market as follows: Prime, $5.50@6.00; good, $4.90@5.30; good butchers, $4.50@4.90; rough fat, $3.25@3.80; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.60; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@55.00.

HOGS—Receipts fair, but the demand is only fair and prices much lower compared with last week. Market slow at the following prices: Philadelphias, $4.80@4.85; mixed, $4.75@4.80; best Yorkers, $4.70@4.80; common to fair Yorkers, $4.60@4.70; roughs, $3.00@4.00.

SHEEP—The supply is light and demand only fair, owing to eastern markets being dull. Market slow at about yesterday's prices: Extra, $4.00@4.30; good, $3.60@3.80; fair, $2.40@3.40; common, $1.50@2.00; best lambs, $5.20@5.40; good lambs, $4.50@5.00; fair lambs, $2.50@4.25; veal calves, $4.00@4.50; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.00; spring lambs, $4.50@8.00.

CINCINNATI, May 7.

HOGS—Market weak at $4.10@4.80; receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 900 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.75@5.40; receipts, 300 head; shipments, 500 head.

SHEEP—Market strong at $2.50@4.40; receipts, 400 head; shipments, 200 head. Lambs, market strong at $3.00@5.25.

NEW YORK, May 7.

WHEAT—Spot market stronger. No. 2 red store and elevator, 66¼c; afloat, 68c; f. o. b., 68¼c afloat; No. 1 hard, 74¼c delivered.

CORN—Spot market strong. Steamer mixed, 55¾c.

OATS—Spot market firm. No. 2, 32½@33¼c; No. 2 delivered, 33½@33¾c; No. 3, 32c; No. 2 white, 36¾c; No. 3 white, 36¼c; track white, 37@41c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 11¼@12½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8¾@10c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market quiet, but steady. Good unshorn sheep, $4.87½; inferior clipped sheep, $4.00; inferior to prime unshorn lambs, $5.25@6.00.

HOGS—Market steady at $5.00@5.25.

To Save Correspondent Fuentes.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Acting Secretary of State Uhl has cabled Acting Consul General Springer at Havana to immediately protest to the Spanish authorities against the trial by military court of Manuel Fuentes, the New York World correspondent. The consul general has been enjoined to act speedily in the matter, as there is some apprehension that his life is in danger.

Americans Conditionally Released.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The state department has received from Consul Hyatt at Santiago a letter dated April 26, stating that two Americans, Bolton and Richlieu, who had been in confinement at Santiago for some time on the charge of complicity in the insurrection, have been conditionally released. They will be required to report daily to the judge of the court.

Cyclone Victims In Need.

NEWTON, Kan., May 8.—The 25 families rendered homeless by the cyclone are badly in need of help. Committees have been at work in Harvey and adjoining counties, but the returns are not sufficient to fill the requirements of the sufferers. It is expected, however, that in a day or so more supplies will come in and that the needy will be relieved.

Can't Remove Huntington.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Judge Brown, in the United States circuit court, has denied the application for a writ of removal in the case of Collis P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific Railway company, indicted in California for a violation of the interstate commerce law, in having given a pass over the Southern Pacific railway to a man named Stone.

Former Wheeling Man Killed.

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—John M. Chandler, aged 60, a leading attorney of this city, has been instantly killed by falling down the elevator shaft of the Security building. Mr. Chandler had been practicing law in St. Louis with distinguished success for 25 years. Before coming here he was located at Wheeling.

Cuban Insurgents Burning Houses.

HAVANA, May 8.—The insurgents have attacked the town of Cristo and burned three houses. During the engagement the Spanish troops lost one killed and six wounded. The loss of the insurgents is not known. The insurgents also made an attack upon the town of Caney and burned one house before they were compelled to retreat.

A Silver Convention For Iowa.

DES MOINES, May 8.—The advocates of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, who have been working for three or four weeks past in arranging for the holding of a state silver convention, have agreed upon June 5 for holding the meeting.

The Evidence Insufficient.

DENVER, Colo., May 8.—William Bolthoff, who was arrested on the charge of having sold a "salted" mine to George F. Wheeler of West Virginia has been discharged by Justice Howsee, who declared that the evidence was insufficient to hold him.

Income Tax Arguments.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Attorney Choate is finishing his argument on the income tax cases today. Attorney General Olney completed his argument yesterday.

An Office at Gray Gables.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Quite a complete executive office will be established at Gray Gables for the president's use this summer.

Earthquake In Argentine.

BUENOS AYRES, May 8.—There has been a severe earthquake at Mendoca, capitol of the province of that name. The inhabitants were terrorstricken and fled from the town.

A Bad Gang Caught.

HILLSDALE, Mich., May 8.—A notorious gang of "green goods" and confidence men have been arrested here.

The Weather.

Unsettled weather with showers, warmer; southwesterly winds.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Four cruisers—the New York, Columbia, Marblehead and San Francisco—are to represent this country at the Kiel celebration.

A commission was appointed at Colon to inquire into the conduct of officials of the government.

Manufacturers at Brockton, Mass., advanced the price of shoes 15 to 20 cents a pair.

Alderman T. Logan Hocker and William A. Farnau, a newspaper correspondent, fought in the lobby of a Lexington (Ky.) hotel.

A brother of Congressman Taylor, who is in the real estate business at Youngstown, O., was warned by several people not to rent a house to a negro.

Ex-Speaker Crisp says that the masses of the people in the south favor silver, but that the business men there are for sound money.

A revolution against the present government is reported to be in progress in Nicaragua, and fighting is going on in the provinces of Leon and Granada.

CORNERING THE GOLD.

The Bond Syndicate Buying It All Up.

WANTS TO FORCE ANOTHER ISSUE.

Under the Terms of the Last Contract the Syndicate Has an Option on Any New Bonds Issued Before Oct. 1—Paying Big Premiums.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The discovery that there is an actual basis for the report that the Morgan-Rothschild bond syndicate is conspiring to corner the gold market has been regarded as a foolish canard. Its a fact, however, that brokers representing this syndicate have been paying a premium for the refined gold output of the private refineries throughout the west during the last two months and that they are accumulating fine gold at the rate of $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 per month, which represents fully two-thirds of the entire gold output of the United States.

The attention of the officials of the treasury department was first attracted to peculiar business by the sharp falling off in the deposits of gold at the mints, and inquiry very soon developed that private parties were buying the product of the refineries. Further inquiries revealed that the metal purchased was drifting to New York, where it is being put in store to the credit of the Morgan-Rothschild syndicate.

In order to divert the stream from its usual channels leading into the United States mints the private purchasers have been obliged to pay a premium of 1 1-16 to 1½ cents. The premium paid for most of the gold was 18 cents, but so anxious have been the buyers to increase their lines and get everything in sight that they have marked up their quotations during the last few days. At the present time they are getting practically the entire output of the United States, excepting for the extreme western coast.

Many long-headed men in Washington and Wall street, who are familiar with the methods of the parties composing the syndicate, have jumped to the conclusion that the foundation is being laid for another bond deal before congress meets again. The last bond deal of $62,000,000 has been pretty well closed out, over $51,000,000 in gold having been paid in out of the 62,000,000, and it is generally believed that the entire deal will be cleaned up before the first day of August.

Under the terms of the contract with the treasury department, the Morgan-Rothschild syndicate has an option on any new bonds that may be issued by the government prior to Oct. 1.

MORTON ON SILVER.

The Secretary Replies to Criticisms by a Colorado Man.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Secretary Morton has written a letter to James A. Cherry of Denver, Colo., in reply to a letter from that gentleman criticising some statements in the interview with the secretary of agriculture, printed a couple of weeks ago, which caused so much comment. During the course of his letter he says:

"Why is it there is so little use of silver dollars in this country today, while there are millions upon millions of them lying idle? I answer, and so must you on reflection, there is no demand for them, and, therefore, no use of them. What more can the law do for them.

"It may be, my dear sir, that in your study of finance you have overlooked, in whole or in part, the momentous fact that all but a mere fraction of the world's commerce is mediated by instruments of credit, and not by metallic money at all, whether of gold or of silver, and that by far the most essential service of money in this age of the world is to furnish a steady measure (as steady as possible) of other valuables, and so help to exchange them to the profit of both parties without any actual use of a mediating money. By the sale of international bills of exchange at all great ports of entry, payments in foreign trade are practically accomplished without the use of any money at all. In the wholesale business of this country, by means of checks, drawn on well-known banks and settled through the clearing house. Not far from 97 per cent of all payments, are affected without any actual use of coin.

"The relative employment of these instruments of credit is constantly increasing through the multiplication of banks and otherwise; and of course also the quantity of coin money required to do the business of the world, or of any advanced country in the world, is steadily decreasing relative to the business done."

Superintendent Townsend Resigns.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The resignation of Mr. Townsend as superintendent of the Philadelphia mint has been received at the treasury department, and almost immediately Secretary Carlisle went over to the white house, and after a short conference with the President the appointment of Mr. Herman Kretz as Mr. Townsend's successor, and Mr. William E. Morgan as coiner were signed by the president and sent to the state department. Several other changes are likely to be made soon in the Philadelphia mint.

Sending Unemployed to the Country.

CHICAGO, May 8.—The civic federation, which put into operation last spring a plan to send the unemployed people to the country, finding them places to work, is so encouraged by the success of the movement that steps are being taken to extend it. So far in the neighborhood of 400 men, women and children have been provided with employment.

Wilde Out on Bail.

LONDON, May 8.—Wilde is stopping in London. He had a lengthy consultation with his bondsmen, with Sir Richard Clarke, his leading counsel, and with his solicitors. The latter have promised to keep the authorities posted in regard to the movements of their client. Wilde is suffering from nervous prostration and has declined to be interviewed.

The Suit Dismissed.

CHICAGO, May 8.—In the United States district court Judge Bunn has ordered a dismissal of the suit against Clarence C. Cheney and the other officers of the Western Banknote company. The officers of the company were indicted last fall for the printing of the Mississippi state bonds, declared by the United States treasury department as being money.

Victims of a Boiler Explosion.

KOKOMO, Ind., May 8.—The boiler in the sawmill owned by John Bennett, north of here, has exploded, blowing the mill to fragments. James Catt, the fireman, was instantly killed, and Frank Downing, Fred Phillips and John Bush were badly injured.

Hung For Wife Murder.

LEBANON, Pa., May 8.—Charles Garrett has been hanged here for the murder of his wife on Sept. 13, 1894.

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OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS LOW.

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Fact is, we haven't daily reasons for selling

"BELOW COST."

COULDN'T LIVE IF WE HAD.

And we've our own ideas about the truth and you are not likely to hear us telling in scare-head accents about our

"STARTLING, CRASHING, SPLINTERING, PRICE-DROP."

Our prices are lower than those that have been BROKEN IN BITS.

CLOTHING.

This Department has just been enlarged and was never better prepared than now to do business—a larger selection of better goods at lower prices than ever before.

There are a lot of Men's Suits of good, hard twisted, hard wearing cloth—the best value you ever saw for $2.50.

We have a variety of Sack Suits, dressy, latest styles. They are doubly worth our price, $4.50.

We are selling the best Suit your money can buy for the price in any store in the county, in all-wool Cheviots, black and brown mixed, equal to any $8 Suits offered elsewhere, our price $5.

Our $10 line opens a wide field for choice in fine Dress Suits. Every popular fabric is represented. A fine line for the money. Beats anything you ever saw or bought. Perfection in fine Dress Suits is attained in our line of handsome fabrics at $15. Fit and Finish can't be improved upon, no matter what you pay. Custom work at double the price gives no single point of advantage. See them.

IN YOUNG MEN'S SUITS.

For boys 14 to 19 years old we are making the greatest drive conceivable. For instance:

Brown Cheviot and all wool at the small price of $2.50. Can any dealer on earth beat this? And $3.90 for dressy gray shades in all wool. Our $6.25 Suits are made of strictly all wool Worsteds and Cassimeres. In fit, finish and workmanship they are fully up to the most expensive custom tailor work. These are facts easily proven if you will make what we most desire, a personal investigation. We'll abide by your decision.

IN OUR BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

We are sure to give satisfaction. We have purchased a big line of Boys' Clothing that every mother for miles around who has a boy to dress ought to see. Having such a large demand for Children's Knee Suits, in cheaper grades, we have been able this Spring to supply all the wants in this line.

Good strong Suits at 75 cents; a better grade at $1.00, and for $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 we will show you goods that defy competition.

MEN'S PANTS.

All that are new in style are shown here at the lowest prices. The assortments are not confined to a few styles but embrace the fullest to be found in any clothing store in the county.

Good strong Pants, lined throughout, 85 cents; a better grade in Worsteds, $1.00; all wool Pants, a great bargain, $1.35; all wool Pants neat pattern in fancy styles, make a nice dress pants, $2.00.

If you want the very best dress Pants in the market at lowest prices. Examine our line at $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00. They can't be beat.

YOUTH'S AND CHILDREN'S PANTS.

We have an immense line of youths' and and Children's Pants which we will now offer at very low prices.

Good strong Youths' Pants, lined throughout, make a good every day Pants, 75 cents; better grade in Worsteds, $1.00. For $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, we will show you a fine line, all styles and patterns.

In Children's Knee Pants we have a large assortment, ranging in price from 25 cents to $1.25.

SHOES.

Can't brag too much about our Shoes. We know they are just right in leather, make, finish, style, comfort and fit. And the price, too, can't be beat, no matter where you go.

Women's fine Dongola button, patent tip, $1.00.

Women's fine Dongola lace, patent tip, dressiest thing in spring footwear, $1.25.

Women's fine Dongola, an elegant Shoe, well made, look stylish, all sizes, $1.50.

Women's fine Dongola Kid, all sizes, can't be beat, $1.75.

Women's fine Kid, latest styles, a great leader, $2.00.

Women's fine French Calf, square and opera toe, all sizes, $2.50.

Men's veal calf congress, made up to sell for $2.00, $1.25.

Men's lace and congress Shoes, latest styles, all sizes, $1.50.

Men's Vica Kid, lace and congress, all sizes, $2.00.

Boys' and Youths' Shoes from 75 cents up.

SWEATERS.

To aid you in making a selection we quote you these prices and descriptions of the best values we have been able to find. These are handsome and stylish.

Boys' cream carded, full sizes, finished, double collar, sizes 16 to 32, 25 cents.

Boys' Ecru, Egyptian Combed Cotton, are A 1, good Sweater, serviceable, can be washed and made good as new, 40c.

Men's Cream Cotton Carded, full sizes, finished double collar, sizes 34 to 44, 25c.

Men's all wool medium weight Sweater, without doubt the best value in the market, $1.25.

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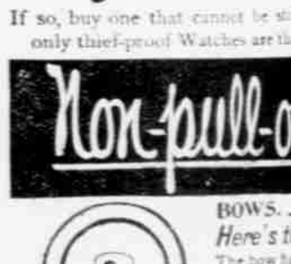
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